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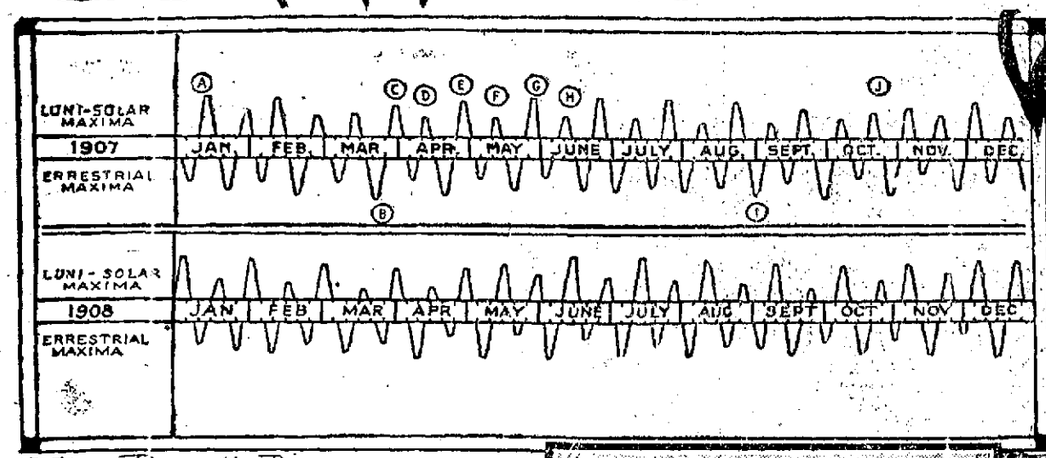
CAN WE FORETELL EARTHQUAKES AS WE DO THE WEATHER?

The Remarkable Forecast Theory that Science Presents



Two of Perret's Diagrams Explaining Luni-Polar Strains Upon the Earth During 1907 and 1908

Frank A. Perret, Student of Volcanoes and Earthquakes

"PREPARE yourselves to hear terrible news when the ship reaches Genoa."

The speaker was Frank A. Perret, the American expert in the newly born science of volcanoes, who has been honorary assistant to Professor Mateucci at the royal observatory on Vesuvius since his appointment in November, 1906; his words were uttered to his fellow-passengers on an American steamer bound for Genoa late in December.

"News about what?" they asked him.

"News of fearfully destructive earthquakes in Sicily," he replied.

At that they smiled at him; and they continued to smile until the steamer reached Genoa. They continued to smile for nearly three whole days after they had disembarked, telling their friends and relatives of the fears of the daring American who, having maintained his courage for a year or two on a level with that of the really sublime Mateucci, was at length losing his nerve and predicting dangers, like a frightened child.

On the third day the awful cataclysm came, shaking down Messina and other cities of Sicily like the houses children build of their toy blocks, in its train devastation, the catastrophe the worst in the history of mankind's misplaced trust in the earth he thinks he rules.

The time, thanks to an American scientist of exalted courage and profound study, appears to be at hand when we can foretell earthquakes, to some practical extent, as we do the weather.

IT WAS not the first of Perret's wonderful forecasts of seismic disturbance. It was only the latest, like the others confirmed by the event, but so appallingly confirmed that smiling derision could only stand dumb, ague stricken, in the palsy of despair.

Those words of the American scientist, so lightly put aside, so fearfully verified, are the one ray of hope for mankind in the presence of the overwhelming forces of nature, terrifyingly bidding them tremble before its wrath. They marked the beginnings of the knowledge which alone can be man's power for evasion, if not for defense, amid the earthquake's blanching ruin.

Mr. Perret holds that all such phenomena, volcanoes as well as earthquakes, are attributable to astronomical conditions, the attraction of the sun and the moon and, to a degree, some of the planets putting upon the earth's crust and molten interior strains sufficiently powerful to cause violent shocks and eruptions.

Comparing the disturbances recorded during many years past, he has demonstrated that all, or nearly all, were incident to certain well-known positions of the heavenly bodies in whose sphere of attraction the earth is directly involved.

BASED ON ASTRONOMY

Basing his forecasts upon the recurrence of astronomical conditions which have proved provocative of eruptions or earthquakes in the past, he foresaw that the world would be subjected to similarly disturbing strains during the month of December and, because of the direction of the strain and the known thinness of the earth's crust near the coasts of southern Italy and especially in and about Messina, he surmised that it would be Sicily which would be affected.

His failure to accurately fix the time of the great cataclysm, which subjected him to so much temporary discredit until the fearful confirmation of his prophecy ensued, by no means deterred him from undertaking to forewarn against other shocks of earthquake. On Sunday, January 3, when all Sicily and Italy were hoping the disturbance was over, he did not hesitate to declare that conditions were still favorable for earthquakes, and within a couple of days the fresh earthquakes came.

Even these successive coincidences of fulfilment with prophecy might seem to be the sheer luck that has befallen sybils and Mother Shiptons and almanac makers in the past were it not for the remarkable history of Mr. Perret's personal investigations and for the plain logic of his exposition of the theory of seismic disturbance in its dependence upon astronomy. He is obviously neither the man to make guesses for the purpose of sensational announcement nor the scientist to take for granted anything which lacks strong foundation in established facts.

Mr. Perret, who is 36 years old, is a native of Hartford, Conn., and subsequently made his home in Brooklyn. One of the very rare minds whose scientific bent draws them to the study of volcanoes, it was first necessary for him to qualify himself as a practical expert in chemistry, geology, astronomy and photography. Nearly six years ago, in 1903, he made his home in Naples for the pursuit of the study of volcanoes as his life work, and he has resided there ever since, occasionally returning to the United States as business or scientific meetings called him.

Meanwhile, the daring experiment of the famous Italian volcanologist, Professor Mateucci, in making dreadful Mount Vesuvius his dwelling place, with a royal observatory there for his occupancy built as nearly volcano-proof as man's resources could design it, was even more fascinating to the American than it was to the imagination of Italy, prouder of its modern Mateucci than ancient Rome could have been of its faithful sentinel in the streets of fire-showered Pompeii.

Mr. Perret, almost from the time of his arrival in Italy, was the constant companion of Professor Mateucci, who recognized in the American a spirit kindred in its daring and a mind as sternly scientific in its attitude.

HIS BAPTISM OF FIRE

Before he received his appointment as honorary assistant, he had, in company with Professor Mateucci, passed through such dangers as few scientists have chosen to risk, and fewer still have survived to tell.

Both of them foresaw the terrific eruption of April, 1906, and Mr. Perret was at work on the superheating volcano during the entire period preliminary to the outburst. He tested all the emanations of gas, photographed the mountain under every preliminary aspect, and then stayed with Professor Mateucci on the volcano during the whole eruption, except for one day, when the mountain, throbbing and trembling with its pent-up powers, hurled forth such a hail of rocks that both escaped with their lives only by the most headlong flight.

Mr. Perret devised an electric megaphone, by which the very sounds of the earth's interior could be heard and, if necessary, recorded. He promptly appreciated the scientific utility of the cinematograph, and took moving pictures of active craters, carrying his machine to the very crater of Stromboli.

In an exhaustive article published recently Mr. Perret was able to bring to bear all the observations he has made of volcanic action and to maintain his theory very impressively, in spite of the discredit into which the earlier,

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Tribune's Special Correspondents Send Stories of News and Bits of Gossip Over the Seas

EUROPE'S NEWS VIA CABLES

Doings in Court Circles and by the People of All Classes in Foreign Lands and Nations' Capitols

KAISER BUILDS GUNS TO FIGHT AIRSHIPS

Prepares for Conflict Which May Come With Crafts of Air

BALLOONS HARD TO HIT

Motorman, Guilty of Negligence in Terrible Accident, Sent to Prison

(BY MALCOLM CLARKE)

BERLIN, March 6.—Rather than leave anything to chance the Kaiser has had built a motor car specially designed to fight airships. That the precaution is a wise one will be evident to anybody with military experience, because whereas no air craft is as yet a machine for use in all weather, nevertheless there is a wide variety to aerial vessels which are excellent fair weather machines, and the most powerful state in the world is unable to control the elements; consequently it can neither guarantee that there shall be no fine days during the conduct of a war nor that its enemy shall not seize the opportunity of such fine days as may occur to employ part or whole of this aerial fleet.

Special Guns

The evolution of a land means of attacking a dirigible air vessel is a pretty simple and easily traced one. Those who have read of ballooning as employed by the Germans in connection with the war of 1870, and more particularly as experimented with and developed in the immediately succeeding years, will recall that the Krupp firm built a special gun mounted on a horse hauled carriage for firing at free balloons, while visitors to the Paris motor show a few years ago may remember that the Charron firm introduced an armored motor car for employment in land operations, types of armored automobiles having been tried by the Austrian military authorities during maneuvers.

When it is had in mind that the average rate of a Zeppelin dirigible balloon varies between twelve and sixty miles an hour, according to the strength of the wind as well as to whether the air craft is being headed against or driven with the wind, it will be realized that any portable gun firing at an enemy in mid air would be practically useless if it could only be hauled about by horses. Therefore what more natural than to combine the armored motor car with a gun for firing at balloons?

40 Miles an Hour

The machine built in Germany is fitted with a powerful motor, but as the total weight with the gun, ammunition and complete crew works out to something like four tons it is scarcely surprising that its maximum speed is not calculated to work out a higher average than forty miles an hour. Anybody who has driven on a touring car will realize that an average speed of forty miles an hour represents extraordinarily fast going, for several stretches would have to be traversed at sixty miles an hour to bring a complete hour's running to a distance of forty miles.

With a weighty machine of the armored type such a speed would call for an uncommon amount of skill on the part of the driver. The tires employed are very nearly solid, so that the comfort of those in the car when the maximum speed is being achieved is scarcely so great as to be enviable. As a target the vehicle itself should present about as hard a target to an enemy above it even when going at a considerably slower speed as can well be conceived.

Hard to Hit

A very neat means is employed in the vehicle in question for pointing the gun, which is of the quick-firing sort and somewhat small. Indeed the German military authorities seem to realize that there is ample room for development in the matter of designing a gun for firing more or less straight up into the air. A type has been designed which is expected to have a maximum range of 3000 feet sheer up, but anybody who has had experience of ballooning will realize that such a weapon would prove no grave menace to a free balloon, while there is no reason why a dirigible balloon should not travel quite conveniently at an altitude well above 3000 feet. As for aeroplanes, the fact that they do not at present fly at such altitudes matters scarcely at all, for it would be practically impossible to aim a shot from underneath one that should hit it while the gun and the aeroplane were both traveling at a speed of forty miles an hour. In such circumstances it would be a marvelous achievement to hit the moving target at 500 feet, which is just about the maximum height at which an aeroplane has ever flown.

Jail Motorman

Public opinion in Germany is applauding the heavy sentence of twenty one months' imprisonment imposed this week upon the motorman of the electric train which figured in last September's terrible disaster on the combination overhead and tube railway in Berlin. Eighteen lives were lost and a score of persons seriously injured in consequence of a collision on the overhead section of the line. The jury found the motorman of the train which plunged into the wrecked train guilty of gross criminal negligence and decided that an exemplary jail sentence to the full limit of the law was justified.

The theory of such decisions in German courts is that of making a terrible example so that persons charged with temporary care of human lives may have before them a convincing object lesson of the penalties of carelessness. Unlike England and America, which are visited by periodical railway disasters of terrible proportions, Germany is comparatively free of them. An accident in which three or four is killed is a genuine sensation in the Fatherland. Causes of all accidents large or small are investigated with thoroughness and relentlessness.

A scapegoat is always found and seldom escape with light punishment. The result is that life on German railroads is perhaps safer than on other great transportation systems in the world.

GUILBERT MAKES HIT WITH SIMPLE SONGS

PARIS, France, March 6.—Yvette Guilbert is preparing a new series of songs, some of which she has already sung in public at a recent matinee at the Gymnase. These songs are delightfully simple and expressive.

BUYS ENSLAVER OF SONS FOR $2000

Shrewd Russian Countess Ends Her Boy's Romance on a Cash Basis

NEW FORM OF GOLD CURE

De Castellane Also Recounts His Won Experiences With Hard-Headed Nobility

(BY MARQUIS DE CASTELLANE)

PARIS, March 6.—The romance of young Count Chirel, a cousin of the Czar, with Madame de Broda, a charming widow of whom Paris talked so much three years ago, has come to a singular and sordid end, thanks to the Count's mother, the Princesse, and no less a personage than M. Lepine, the prefect of police in person.

It may be remembered that the Count, then 22 years of age, had come on his first visit to Paris with his mother, and being bewitched by the widow asked her hand in marriage. The Princess, scandalized, tore the young Count away and bore him back to St. Petersburg. Count Chirel continued to correspond for a time with Madam de Broda, but presently she ceased to answer him and he then listened to his mother, who all along had been representing to him the obligations of his rank.

Again Meets His Love

But returning to Paris recently one day on the boulevard he found himself face to face with the woman he had loved, though she was so changed that he afterwards wondered how he had recognized her. Perhaps but for an instinctive movement she made he would have passed her by. But when he looked again he knew even in those sunken sockets the eyes which had once fascinated him. Separated from him she had been ruined by the rascality of a banker who had speculated with all she owned; she had fallen into the ranks of the hopeless creatures of the street.

His heart torn by her story of misery, the count offered her his hand once again and this time was accepted.

The princess now interfered for the second time, but less successfully than before. The son refused either to return to Russia or to take back his word. Then the mother resorted to a strategy in which she invoked the assistance of the prefect of police.

"Tell this person," said the princess, "that if my son marries her I cut him off without a penny. If she renounces him I assure her of an annuity of $2000 a year."

Proves Wise Mother

The widow accepted the annuity with an instant's hesitation. The count has recovered from his passion, the widow is enjoying her income and the grateful princess has given M. Lepine $30,000 to be used for rescuing young girls from temptation.

Not all tales of unequal matches end so happily. But then everybody has not a wise and wealthy Russian princess for a mother.

The birth of the Duc de Mouchy, descended from one of the most ancient families of France and married in accordance with the wishes of Napoleon III to Anna Murat, the emperor's own niece, recalls that interesting period when the emperor of the French tried to fuse the old nobility with what was called the military nobility created by Napoleon Bonaparte. The feeling stirred up at that time was well illustrated at my own wedding in 1866.

The aristocratic parents of my bride, the Marquis and Marquise de Juigne, were to give the usual reception for the signing of the marriage contract, but an [illegible] when the list of guests was drawn up. For more than two weeks visits, consultations, gratuitous advice and much gratuitous bickerings were exchanged throughout Paris, while old France waited drawn up ready for battle against young France.

Conflict of Nobilities

Could the long and noble line of de Juigne's place itself face to face with a pinchbeck nobility and on an equal footing with it? Yet could my nearest relatives the Duc and Duchesse de Mouchy be omitted because the duchesse was a Murat? Why to attempt forcing two such different currents into one same path meant an inevitable clash.

But the duchesse was finally invited and was prevailed upon to come, and when she brought her radiant beauty across the threshold she had no reason to regret the love branch she bore for, hard as it was to believe, she found many of her clan there.

A young lady belonging to the most exclusive circles has, with the consent of her family, cast social prejudice aside to appear on the stage. Beautiful and rich enough to be independent of pecuniary considerations, Mlle. Dietz Monin yields to the impulse of her enthusiasm and calls upon the public to judge her talent. And in theatrical parlance her financial value will now be judged by the drawing power of a name.

Such a step endorsed by a whole family would not be surprising in the United States, but French customs make it most exceptional here. The granddaughter of a Senator who was also president of the Paris Chamber of Commerce appearing as an actress, for shame! cry some. A self-respecting woman hardly, add others. So Mlle. Dietz Monin is creating an unprecedented innovation in our traditions and opinions. For talent to take precedence over rank and dignity, and for the public to be called upon to judge, is too novel a doctrine to be [illegible] at first sight.

Leaves Verdict

A year or so ago Mlle. Dietz-Monin was engaged to Francis de Croisset, one of our youngest and most successful dramatic authors. Rings were exchanged and all were on the alert for the wedding when the engagement was suddenly broken off. Why?

The explanation was not long delayed. M. De Croisset, wishing to marry for his own democratic happiness and deeply imbued with time-honored prejudices on the subject, had expected his wife to renounce all theatrical ambitions. He found himself mistaken as to the young lady's views on the subject and so he was left in the lurch.

Mlle. Dietz Monin in a word declined to admit that the reputation of an actress could suffer behind the scenes or elsewhere.

Therefore the public, after judging her talent, will also be able to judge which of these two interesting young people was right.

EUROPEAN DIGNITARIES NOW IN THE PUBLIC EYE

QUEEN HELENE OF ITALY

CROWN PRINCE FREDERICK WILLIAM OF GERMANY

Expect Stork to Visit Royal Palace of Italy

Queen Helene of Italy It Is Said Is Soon to Again Become a Mother

ROME, March 6.—Queen Helena of Italy, the idol of her subjects and known familiarly among them by their most loving title, "The Little Shepherdess," is, La Corriere Italia says, soon to become a mother.

The Queen of Italy has already four children, the Prince Royal Humbert, some 5 years old, and the Princesses Yolanda, Margherita, Mafalda and Giovanna.

LORD ALVERSTONE CHIEF JUSTICE OF GREAT BRITAIN

Crown Prince Is to Visit America

May Come to This Country Next Summer in the Capacity of a Sportsman

NEW YORK, March 6.—Crown Prince Frederick William, the future German Emperor, it is reported from Berlin, will come to this country on a visit next summer, accepting the invitation of several leading yachtsmen.

It is desired to enter upon the Crown Prince strictly in his capacity as sportsman in order that his visit may be as nearly devoid of official character as possible. This it is understood is in line with the preferences both of the Kaiser and of the American government. It is realized, of course, that the August identity of the Kaiser's heir will make it difficult to obliterate his official character.

If he comes his program will provide practically only for private hospitality, much the same as that offered distinguished Old World yachtsman Sir Thomas Lipton.

Preliminary negotiations for the Crown Prince's trip have been afoot since last August. They have been carried through purely private and unofficial channels so that the project might at no stage bear a political tinge. Ever since his uncle, Admiral Prince Henry of Prussia, wined and dined his way across the American Continent in 1902 the Crown Prince has been filled with an ardent desire to visit this land of pretty girls and skyscrapers.

Alfonso, Denied an Aeroplane, Is to Have a Dirigible Balloon

PARIS, March 6.—King Alfonso is determined to be an aeronaut, and when that young man makes up his mind to do anything such trifles as the dangers of gas bags and the [illegible] do not stand in the way.

Snowstorms and blizzards from one end of France to the other have seriously interfered with aeroplane experiments and dirigible balloon excursions.

One small boy of 13 years of age, however, snuggled himself aboard the Clement Bayard, which is now making preliminary journeys for the cross-channel flight to Aldershot, England. The young adventurer, Marcel Guillelmon, who was up for two hours over the forest of St. Germain, told the American correspondent it was great fun, but the best fun was to think how jealous my big brother will be.

With the youngster was Captain Kindelan of the Spanish army, who was sent on to buy a dirigible balloon for the King of Spain. He explained that the Queen of Spain and the ministers of state were absolutely determined that Alfonso should not risk his life in the Wright aeroplane, but had consented to his purchase of a fast dirigible.

If the Clement Bayard wins the cross-channel prize it will be sent on to the King at Madrid. Both the English war office and the French war ministry have placed similar contingent orders.

Fain Would Fly

The young King went through a very severe course of wrestling with temptation during his visit to Wilbur Wright at Pau. When his Spanish majesty saw Wright circling through space on his winged wonder he was lost in admiration and sighed deeply, for it appears that before leaving Madrid he had intended to test the Wright aeroplane and the sensation of flying.

The young King asked Mr. Wright numerous questions about the working of the aeroplane and had the scheme practically explained to him by the inventor, was invited to sit by side of him on the controlling seat while the machine was stationary.

Mr. Wright's sister and Mr. and Mrs. Hart O. Berg were all presented to the King, who chatted with them enthusiastically regarding the wonders of the Wright machine. While it was flying around the aerodrome the king was heard with eager admiration exclaiming volubly in the languages on its remarkable evolutions and the perfect control exercised by its pilot.

"Wonderful," Said the King

The machine flew a total of 8 times of twenty-eight miles, vanishing from sight for some time and then returning to the starting point. When Mr. Wright alighted the King shook him heartily by the hand, exclaiming "wonderful, wonderful. I have never seen anything like it. Now you must explain everything to me."

Charles M. Schwab, who must have arrived in New York by this time, telegraphed Wilbur Wright while here asking if the flying man would consent to take him up as a passenger. He waited over in Paris hoping for the answer, which did not come. Suddenly he decided to go direct to Pau, but the weather conditions made a flight impossible. His [illegible].

Singer Wins Honors

Frederick Hoffman of Albany, a young baritone singer with a voice of exceptionally high range, after making his operatic debut in Berlin in Pagliacci, has made a sudden success singing in Paris as a soloist. He has been the attraction at recent receptions of Madame [illegible] and Madam Dimesnil.

Hoffman sang at a soiree given for the Duchess of Marlborough, Miss Vanderbilt, Mrs. McCormick and other well known continental Americans. Tomorrow night he makes his first public appearance in Paris at a concert. His repertory includes nine operas, ranging from La Boheme to Tannhauser.

COUNTESS' DEATH PUTS DE SAGAN IN BLACK

PARIS, March 6.—The Castellane family and that of the Prince de Sagan have broken all social engagements and gone into mourning as the result of the death of the Comtesse de Welzeck, who died at Linz after a long and painful illness. She was the daughter of Prince [illegible], formerly Prussian minister to Rome, and of the Countess de Castellane, who later became the Duchess de Talleyrand.

Countess de Welzeck was the granddaughter of the famous old Marshall de Castellane, who rebuilt the fortunes of that family which the later generations did so much to pull down again. During the last few years she spent the winters at San Remo, where she was a notable figure and the leader of the [illegible] German colony.

Stockholders of the Pennsylvania will hold their annual meeting at Philadelphia Tuesday. It is possible there will be [illegible] before the $[illegible],000,000 bonds to be issued will be authorized.

United States [illegible] reporting for the three weeks [illegible] show a total gross earnings of [illegible] per cent [illegible] compared with the period in 1907. Roads in the south and southwest continue to make the best showing.

FALLIERES AND KAISER NOT TO MEET AT MONACO

PARIS, March 6.—The [illegible] Paris states that the projected meeting of President Fallieres and Kaiser Wilhelm as guests of the Prince of Monaco will not take place. It is not the President of the French Republic who [illegible] Monte Carlo. [illegible] Kaiser [illegible] from Berlin.

President Fallieres, ruling [illegible] attitude of the nation, has decided to go to Monte Carlo, so anyway this visit will give a fillip to the dying [illegible] of the famous gambling rooms and probably will result in [illegible].

CHIEF JUSTICE IN BIG REALTY DEAL

Is Stockholder in British Company Now Concerned in New York Transaction

LONDON, March 6.—Lord Alverstone, Lord Chief Justice of Great Britain, is much before the public at present. He figures as one of the sellers in an important real estate transaction in New York. The company of which Lord Alverstone is principal stockholder is an English corporation and sells 107 acres to N. T. Camt, A. N. Brady and C. K. G. Billings.

EARL'S SON WILL WED POOR GIRL

Heir of House of Warwick Announces Betrothal to Miss Eden

LONDON, March 6.—The engagement of Lord [illegible], son and heir of the Earl and Countess of Warwick, to Miss Elfrida Eden, daughter of Sir William and Lady Eden, is announced, and while it was not unexpected it is an open secret that Lord Warwick is deeply disappointed over his son's choice.

The Countess of Warwick [illegible] the couple [illegible]. Sir William and Lady Eden have a great struggle to keep up appearances in their country home. They cannot even afford to come up to town for the season, and Miss Eden has [illegible] London since she made her debut two years ago.

BOOTH, 80 AND FRAIL, STARTS TO RUSSIA

Forbidden to Cross the Frontier, He Will Make Final Effort of His Life

LOOKS TO CZAR FOR HELP

Stead in Remarkable Interview Recounts Early Experience With Salvationists

(BY WILLIAM T. STEAD)

LONDON, March 6.—[illegible] Salvationist [illegible].

To Blaze a Trail

[illegible]

Infinite Resources

A shrewd man with a [illegible] purpose [illegible] general [illegible] in his memory [illegible] Russian people.

How He Will Rest

The general after visiting Russia is going on a [illegible] mission round [illegible] which will make more demands [illegible].

Rider Haggard's Views

Every public library in the United States should subscribe [illegible] reports of the commission [illegible].

FRANCE MAY ABOLISH PUBLIC EXECUTIONS

PARIS, France, March 6.—It is suggested today that [illegible] executions will take place [illegible] in the State prisons [illegible].

WALKS STREETS WITH MONSTER WOLF

Artist Causes Commotion on Bois de Bologne With Fierce Looking Pet

SECRETARY OF WAR STIRS UP FRENCH ARMY

Young Conscript Arrested by Gendarmes Turns Out to Be Girl

(BY PAUL VILLIERS)

PARIS, March 6.—Considerable commotion was caused in the Bois de Boulogne by the appearance of Prince [illegible] the well known Russian sculptor, accompanied by a large [illegible] wolf. The Prince asserts that the animal is absolutely harmless. When the [illegible] lived in St. Petersburg he possessed a number of pets, including a [illegible], a dozen Siberian [illegible] and a gray wolf reputed to be as inoffensive as a lamb. Prince Troubetzkoi is a vegetarian of many years standing, and his animals were all brought up in ignorance of the taste of meat. The wolf [illegible] potatoes and watermelons at its master's hand. One day, however, smelling [illegible] sausages in a neighboring [illegible] it broke in and devoured them. A few days later the wolf died. The Prince declares that it was poisoned by meat [illegible] which were fatal to an animal which had been fed exclusively on vegetables.

Stirs up Army

M. Cheron, Under Secretary of State for War, is an active innovator in the army. He has just issued an order requiring men when serving with the colors to follow trades to which they were accustomed in civil life. Thus a man who was a baker before becoming a soldier will be employed in the regimental bakery, a butcher in the meat department, etc. This simple and obvious reform has not passed without challenge, more especially as under the old regime it was notorious that men were employed in the departments [illegible] in the most unlikely occupations. But the Minister has not limited his zeal to a common sense regulation of this sort. He has commissioned seven of the chief restaurant keepers in Paris to visit the army kitchens, inspect their equipment and taste the dishes served to the French "Tommy Atkinses." Naturally an innovation of this kind has been much commented upon by the military staff which formerly had the monopoly of inspections.

"Marius" is a Girl

A curious situation has arisen in connection with a French conscript. The latter, Marius Hamel, received due notice to attend the barracks at Compiegne but did not appear. The gendarmes were therefore on Wednesday sent to fetch him, and on arriving at his house found that Marius Hamel was a young woman of 20.

They took the girl to the barracks and there she explained that at her baptism her parents intended her to be called Maria. By some mistake the clergyman made it Marius and the clerk to the town registrar entered her as a boy.

The curious part of the affair is that Marius cannot now be exempted from military service until she has been declared a girl by act of Parliament.

SUFFRAGETTES TO MOVE ON GRANARDS

Countess Holds Her First Political Reception March 17 and Women Will 'Demonstrate'

LONDON, March 6.—The militant suffragettes may soon pay their attentions to the Earl of Granard, who represents the postmaster general in parliament. The earl thus far has escaped, but the American learns that his turn is coming. The countess holds her first political reception on March 19 and it will not be surprising if the suffragettes embrace the opportunity to attend the reception and call the attention of the statesmen present to the necessity of granting votes to women.

Follow Example

The suffragettes of the provincial cities are following the example of their London sisters and are becoming very active. At the end of the month a delegation of Lancashire suffragists wearing shawls and clogs intend trying to break the cordon about Premier Asquith and present him with a petition demanding the franchise.

All the suffragettes of England this week are practicing self denial and contributing the proceeds of their savings to the party funds. A large sum of money will be raised, for many women are sending their jewelry.

Never Surrender

Yesterday Lady Gort, the head of an aristocratic band of tory suffragists, held a meeting at her palatial mansion in Grosvenor Gardens. Lady Castlereagh occupied the chair. Other aristocrats present included Lady Knightly, Lady Churchill, Lady Mosley, Lady Wyndham and Lady Seton. The meeting declared that the Suffragettes would never surrender until the Government granted their just political rights.

The aristocratic suffragettes, however, are not altogether unopposed. Yesterday Lady Haversham and a number of other titled women met at Windsor and passed a resolution that they did not believe in woman's suffrage and protested against the government granting women the franchise.

JAIL NEW YORKER FOR DISROBING IN STREET

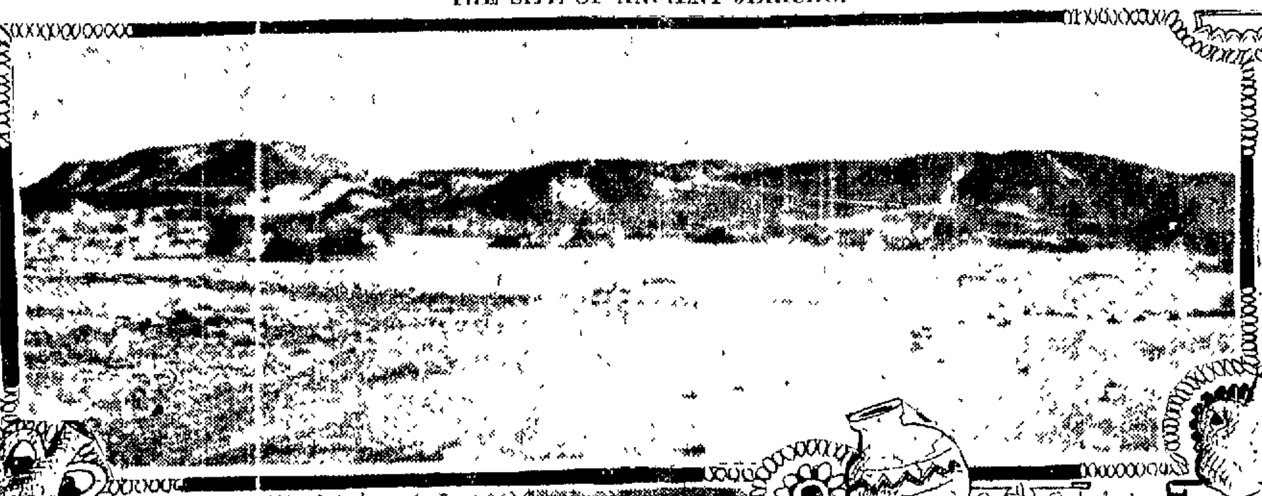
PARIS, March 6.—Abundant apologies, the payment of damages and the promises of amendment saved E. R. Marshall, the young New Yorker who was arrested at Nice for disrobing in the public square and assaulting the police, from serious consequences.

The tribunal finally only condemned him to fifteen days imprisonment, which sentence he is now undergoing, having decided to make no appeal.

Jericho, Whose Walls Fell at the Blast of Joshua's Trumpets

PART OF THE WALL.

THE SITE OF ANCIENT JERICHO.



A CANAANITE HOUSE.

"CURSED BE THE MAN BEFORE THE LORD THAT RISETH UP AND BUILDS THIS CITY JERICHO: HE SHALL LAY THE FOUNDATION THEREOF IN HIS FIRST BORN, AND IN HIS YOUNGEST SON SHALL HE SET UP THE GATES OF IT."—Joshua's Curse

ALTHOUGH the up-to-date theologians have complexed many of the cherished stories of the Old Testament, it is still pleasant to remember that Jericho was the city the walls of which fell at the blast of Joshua's trumpet. The most wonderful discoveries have been made by **the Germans** in some recent excavations.

The first wonderful discovery **made** were the ancient walls of **Jericho**. This has been followed **up by** the German Oriental Society (Deutsche Orien-Gesellshaft), which has just uncovered the ancient citadel with the adjoining Canaanite houses on the northern slope of the city. At five different slopes flights of stone steps were found. In addition to specimens of ancient Canaanite ware, numerous domestic utensile were discovered, bearing a close relationship to Greeco-Phoenician pottery, and a number of graves of the early

A MAP SHOWING EXCAVATIONS.

Byzantine era containing urns and other vessels.

The ground investigated was an [illegible] field plateau near the Ain-es-Sultan spring a mile and a half from Eriha. The outer walls of the city were unearthed some eight feet before the surface and proved to be exceptionally fine. They belonged to the oldest known periods of the history of Palestine. To the north was found a stretch of wall broken in but one place. This ended suddenly and a tower with traces of a gate was revealed. There was also discovered what must have been a neighboring village consisting of fifty small houses built close together. Some of the sides of these houses were intact

THE OUTER WALLS.

BETWEEN THE CITADEL AND THE OUTER WALLS

and there was still visible the remains of doors, the signs of kitchens and of baking ovens. It is hoped that before long the excavators will be absolutely able to determine whether the epochs represented were Canaanite, Israelite or Jewish.

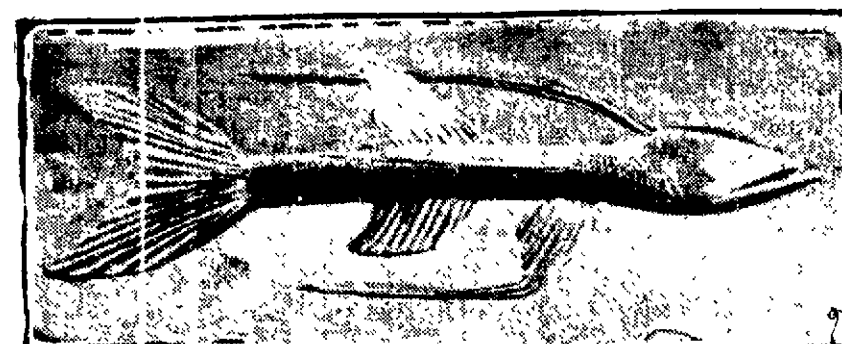
The ancient citadel was on the slope of the northwesterly hill of the Seven Hills upon which the city was built. It had an inner and an outer wall, each of which boasted of corner towers. Below the city floors of some of the houses were found the bodies of children buried in jars. Indications are that the waters of the Ain-es-Sultan drew the first settlers to the spot. Jericho was built three different times. The first city, believed to have been destroyed in 1451 B. C., was replaced by the one built by Hiel in 918 B. C. and in the reign of Ahab. This city was looted by Simon, gave to Herod, and gave way before the city set up by Archelaus, son of Herod. The final destruction of the city was the work of Vespasian in 68 A. D.

The walls were built in three parts. Over the foundation of natural rock was placed a filling of fine gravel and loam. On this was built a sloping rubble wall, twenty feet high and from six and one-half to eight feet thick. On top of all of this were the natural fortifications constructed of clay bricks.

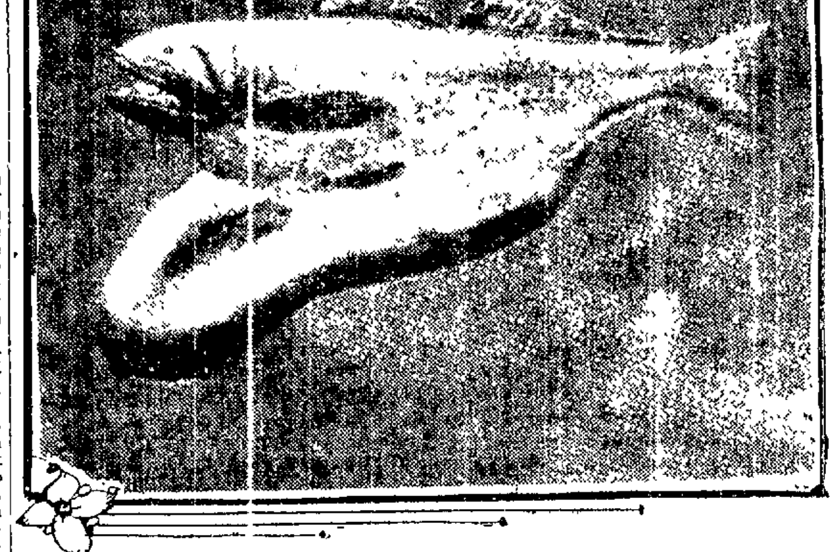
The excavations of the Germans were begun in April, 1907, and resumed last year. The work which has been done with a thoroughness, brought employment to about 200 men and women, and up to this time has cost in the neighborhood of 50,000 francs. The operations were directed by Prof. Sellin, Prof. Watzinger of Rostock and Herr Langenegger, government architect. The plateau excavated was about 400 yards long by 180 broad and the walls of which about one-half have so far been unearthed, are thought to have extended for some 900 yards.

Strange Fish With Big Stomachs And No Eyes Live in Depths of Sea

A FISH WITH FEELERS FOR EYES.
This deep-sea fish, the "Bathypterois longicauda," is found in the seas of the Southern Hemisphere at depths varying from two-thirds of a mile to three miles.



AN EEL-LIKE DEEP-SEA FISH.
Owing to the enormous mouth and gullet of the "Gastrotomus Bairdi" it is able to swallow fishes larger than itself. Its luminous spots should be noted. It is found as deep as two miles in the North Atlantic.



THE ALDERMAN OF THE OCEAN.
The "Chiasmodon niger" is a gadoid, and in the model is depicted with its stomach extended by a large undigested fish, which it has swallowed.

The depths to which the diver descends are commonly over-rated. A depth equal to the height of an ordinary block of flats is as far as the diver ever goes. He can penetrate no farther because of the enormous pressure of the water. At the depth of a thousand fathoms, for example, the pressure would be a good deal more than a ton to the square inch. It is not easy to realize what these enormous pressures imply, but we may convey some idea of them by referring to some experiments made in measuring ocean depths. It was found on one of the United States Oceanographic Surveys that when empty hollow glass balls with walls half an inch thick were sent down with the deep sea apparatus they came up more and more completely filled with water, according to the depth of the sea and the duration of the experiment.

The water had, in fact, been forced through the pores of the glass, though even a microscope was unable to detect the tiniest orifices in the glass through which the water had entered. As glass is the most impervious of solid bodies, this leakage which it exhibits under the application of the fluid pressure of the deep sea is a good illustration of the conditions which exist there.

In the Abyss

Beyond these depths no life exists. There is at the bottom of the deepest seas, so far as we are aware, nothing but ooze, the skeleton remains of the life of the sea. But fishes and other forms of oceanic life do exist at very great depths; and we naturally inquire of what structure and constitution they are to endure the strange conditions to which they are subjected. We can surmise, but our knowledge is incomplete. When the deep-sea dredger and nets come to the surface, bringing with them stray examples of the fishes of the deep undersea, they never bring whole specimens.

Removed from their normal environment, brought into conditions in which the enormous pressures which are their normal experience are removed the fishes collapse. So that we may truly say that no one ever sees the deep-sea fish in its habit as it lives. How, then, do zoologists arrive at a comprehension or an outline of their forms? The answer is simple.

"Build" Whole Fish

The fishes are very seldom damaged in the same way. Now one-half is left uninjured, now another, and out of the uninjured parts it is possible to build up a reasonable conception of the whole fish, very much in the same way that the palaeontologists built up the Diplodocus—a cast of which now adorns the museum in Cromwell Road—from fragments of its bony structure found in widely separated places, and over a number of years. Such are the fishes of which illustrations appear on this page.

The photographs are not of the fishes themselves—they would be impossible to obtain—but they are photographs of the models of the fishes which have been built up out of the knowledge of many specimens, and which are recognized as plausible replicas.

A Deep-Sea Tragedy

All the connective tissues of the fishes which live at great depths are very fragile. They break at a touch, and it is next to impossible to preserve them. The reason, simply stated, why they collapse when brought to the surface is that the gases shut up in their tissues are, like the fishes themselves, subjected normally to pressures varying from one to two tons to the square inch.

When these pressures are taken off the gases expand and practically blow the fishes to pieces. Sometimes specimens are picked up floating on the surface of the water; and the fish have evidently met their deaths while engaged in swallowing or digesting another fish not much inferior, or even superior in size to themselves. What has happened is this.

A fish which preys on others and which is built so as to live at a depth between 500 and 800 fathoms, seizes another fish which usually inhabits a rather higher level. In its struggles to escape, the fish seized, nearly as large as its enemy, carries the deeper-sea fish out of its depth into a higher stratum. Here the diminished pressure causes such an expansion of the occluded gases as to make the destroyer, with its victim, rise with increasing rapidity towards the surface, which they reach dead or in a dying condition.

Substitutes for Eyes

There is no light there, for the sun's rays do not penetrate beyond a depth of 200 fathoms, and this absence of light leads to a modification of the organs of vision of the fish. Many of them are blind, and have other organs to compensate for the absence of sight. Thus one of the fish illustrated—Bathypterois longicauda—has long attenuated streamers over its back. Its eyes are very small, and it feels its way. Others of the deep-sea fishes have phosphorescent spots running in a line along their bodies. These phosphorescent spots may serve as recognition marks for other fishes of the same species. It has even been surmised that in some instances, they help to illuminate the path of the fish which is in search of prey.

Carnivorous Fish

The absence of light also leads to a simplification of the colors of the deep-sea fishes. Their bodies are either black or silvery. At great depths, too, there is great stillness. There may be a very gentle, almost imperceptible, flow of ocean currents, but that is all. The fishes presumably are not called on for great muscular exertion, and consequently their bony structures and muscles are very feebly developed. Lastly, with the sunlight, vegetable life ceases, and, consequently, no deep sea fish is a vegetarian. All are carnivorous and feed on one another. The more voracious frequently feed on their own offspring.

This carnivorous habit, added to the feebleness of their pursuing powers, has given them in the course of ages the necessity capacity for making enormous meals when a suitable opportunity occurs. Thus Chiasmodon niger is chiefly remarkable for its enormous stomach which can accommodate a fish larger than the Chiasmodon itself. The expansion of its stomach is shown in the model. The Gastrotomus Bairdi also has a gastronomical capacity which would put an alderman to the blush.

CAN WE FORETELL EARTHQUAKES AS WE DO WEATHER?

(Continued From Page 1.)

crude conception of it has fallen since the time of the scientist Palmieri.

The few attempts which have been made to show a correspondence between the lunar phases and volcanic phenomena," he admits, "are rather inconclusive. Professor Ricco gave tables showing in four cases a coincidence between luni-solar combinations and the eruptions of Stromboli, but neither the coincidence here nor the lack of it in five remaining cases seems very definite, because the time of the eruptions is merely given as the date of the beginning of the periods of singular activity.'"

Mr. Perret reviewed the unsatisfactory studies of the effect of the sun and moon, in various positions, upon earth disturbance, as made by men like Schmidt in 1881 and Rudolph Falb in 1869, remarking that "the aggregate conclusions of all who have examined the subject do not form a definite and harmonious result."

"I believe," he observes, "this is due in part to the very elaborateness of the methods used in treating an essentially simple subject and to taking into consideration a great number of very slight earthquakes and eruptive phases whose entry into the calculation has led to erroneous conclusions. It is like including the mortality of infants in computing the length of human life.

"We may for the present simplify our conception of luni-solar influence by considering it as productive of a gravitational disturbance of the terrestrial mosaic.

"Imagine such a body as the earth subjected to the varying attractions of the sun and moon, now on one side of both, now revolving between the two like the armature of a giant dynamo in its field of magnetic force, with the moon in such close proximity as to exert a considerable difference in attraction force at the earth's center and at the nearest and farthest points in the circumference, and then with an orbit so much in the form of an ellipse as to vary its distance by more than one-tenth.

'And then consider that in the crust of this revolving earth-sphere there exist volcanoes which are at times in a condition of potential eruption and rock strata in a condition of stress amounting to potential faulting and it will readily be seen how small is the power required to touch off these little accumulations of latent energy in proportion to the enormous forces involved.'

Mr. Perret defines clearly what he has designated as "gravitational disturbance." When the sun and moon are in line with the earth, their combined attraction tends to deform the earth-sphere into an ellipse. The tendency is resisted. 'A condition of stress results. The changes, in connection with the rotation of the earth, may be regarded as the basis of the gravitational disturbance.

The greatest luni-solar gravitational effect for the latitudes most affected is produced when the sun and moon are at opposite ends of a diameter drawn through the earth's center—when they are in "opposition"—and have a north and south declination of thirty-three degrees, with the moon in perigee or that point in its orbit which brings it nearest to the earth. Mr. Perret says we may conceive the mean luni-solar effect upon the earth during the several days of each favorable position to be a tendency to positive deformation of our sphere.

The minimum luni-solar influence is produced when the sun and moon are in quadrature, or at ninety degrees with the earth and at equinox, with the moon at the most distant point of her orbit. This celestial minimum Mr. Perret points out as furnishing, however, the terrestrial maximum.

In the luni-solar maximum the attraction lessens the earth pressures due to earthly gravitation so that fissures in the crust tend to widen, and the emission is favored of gases from volcanic magma, the name given to the molten material of the earth's interior. The luni-solar minimum, bringing on the terrestrial maximum, causes a virtual neutralization of the luni-solar power and gives full sway to [illegible] distorting terrestrial re-formation in the increase [illegible] pressures, which compress fissures and [illegible] are liable to break strata already under [illegible] strain.

'While earthquakes may be [illegible] caused by either order of maxima,' [illegible] Mr. Perret states, 'it will in general be [illegible] found that the great tectonic or structural [illegible] earthquakes follow a terrestrial [illegible] maximum, while those of the volcanic [illegible] inter-volcanic type may succeed either [illegible] order of maxima.

'Earthquakes lag, as a rule, a day or two behind the culmination of the maximum. As the two orders of maxima are complementary, it is obvious that the greatest possible effect will be produced when strong ones occur in proximity—that is, when a very favorable luni-solar maximum is followed by a very favorable terrestrial maximum, or vice versa.'

Here, within a space all too contracted for a full and strictly scientific explanation, is the American scientist's theory of the astronomical causes for the world's greater volcanic and earthquake convulsions. It might be regarded as theory only but for the astounding verifications it has received.

Another indefatigable student of Vesuvius in that volcano's most demoniacal moods has been Professor Mercalli, who, quite independently of Mr. Perret's observations, has published his own note of Vesuvius' activity for some years past. Mr. Perret, instead of using his own Vesuvian notes, employed those of Professor Mercalli, so that his comparisons might not be attended with suspicion of bias in favor of his theory.

He prepared charts of the luni-solar and terrestrial maxima for the years embraced within 1902 and 190[illegible] inclusive. They showed just when the two orders of maxima occurred and, by means of an alphabetical key, he showed their coincidence with disturbances chronicled in Mercalli's Vesuvian notes.

The year 1908 he left blank for his scientific readers to fill in tentatively or according to the developments of the period. The year 1907—the chart for which is reproduced in this article as an example of his methods—shows the five explosive crises of the great eruptions at Stromboli at the points D, [illegible] F, G and H. Mauna Loa was in eruption on January 10, marked by A, and Bogosloff on September 1, marked I, [illegible] there was a violently disruptive explosion.

At Jamaica January 14, [illegible] date practically coinciding with the st[illegible] ins marked A for the Mauna Loa eruption, there were severe earthquakes, re[illegible] ated there March 2, marked B. Earthquakes occurred [illegible] in Mexico on April 14, marked D; at Berlin, March 31, [illegible] marked C; at San Miguel, in the Azores, April 2 at the same maximum, C, [illegible] the Bitlis quakes, and in Calabria, on October 23, marked I.

In the 1908 chart the relations appear between the maxima and the earthquake at Chilapa, in Mexico, the disappearance of the lake in Oregon and the earthquake registered [illegible] r May 15 by the seismographs at Washington. The beginnings of the eruption at Aetna were [illegible] for the spring and summer months by Mr. Perret [illegible] ith the aid of his chart for 1908. The [illegible] fearfully destructive shocks in Sicily [illegible] t the end of the year can be readily [illegible] d into the wide swings of both maxima during December.

Whether, according to one school of scientists, the earth has a [illegible] old interior with molten magma intervening between core and crust, or whether, no longer "that like an orange," it has been drawn into the shape of an egg and is preparing to blow up ultimately like the moon—which is what Camille Flammarion, Lowthian Green, the Abbe Moreux and the geologist Suess contend with more or less unanimity as to details—the fact has now been demonstrated that man, or at least one man, can and does predict the times and places of earthquakes and eruption by a combination of astronomy with geology.

Probably no more hopeful, yet no more modest, claim can be made for this momentous advance by man in his knowledge of his prosaically terrific place of abode than the remarks with which this comparatively young, yet remarkably brilliant, demonstrator of these hidden laws in our immediate universe closes his exposition of them:

"'The importance of being able to foreknow the dates in each month when volcanic and seismic manifestations will take place is too obvious to require emphasizing. These data, in connection with research work localized at volcanic and seismic centers, should carry us a long step forward along the line of definitely predicting such events.

"During the past two years I have often made use of this knowledge in planning visits to volcanoes at interesting times and in absenting myself for preparatory work during the intervals of quiet. It was principally by means of the luni-solar curve that the crisis in the eruption of Stromboli in 1907 was shown to have already occurred when warships had been sent with a view to deporting the 4000 inhabitants. A resort to this extreme measure was thus rendered unnecessary, and this application of our working theory forms a good example of its practical utility.'"

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Fraternal Societies to Honor the Memory of Ireland's Patron Saint

LOCAL LODGES TO HAVE JOLLY WEEK OF CELEBRATION

The memory of the patron saint of Ireland will be observed in many of the fraternities of the bay region Parties socials and whist tournaments will be given on St Patrick's day, March 17 On that occasion green will be the prevailing color

An interesting event planned for March 30 will be the reception and banquet to be given by Calanthe Temple Pythian Sisters, to the past chief of the temple Activities in all the lodges are numerous Many enjoyable affairs are scheduled for the ensuing month

Pythian Sisters

Calanthe Temple No 6 Pythian Sisters held a business meeting Tuesday evening The grand ball given by the Temple on February 24 under the leadership of the Degree Staff was a great success The exhibition drill was greatly enjoyed and applauded by all The staff were twenty-five minutes putting on the different figures and not a mistake was made All present were justified in being proud of the girls of Calanthe No 6 The California sofa pillow was won by Miss Mayme Nun of San Francisco who held the lucky number ninety

Next Tuesday evening the dancing school begins The class will be held from 7 30 to 8 30.

On Tuesday March 30 Calanthe Temple is to entertain the Past Chiefs of the Temple, as well as a number of the Brother Knights from lodges of this city There will be a whist tournament after which an elaborate supper will be served in the banquet room Calanthe Temple appreciates the noble work done by the numerous past chiefs toward putting Calanthe among the first ranks They appreciate the kindnesses shown them by the Brother Knights It is expected that the evening will go down in the records as one of the most enjoyable ever witnessed by the members of the order

I. O. O. F.

The Hall of Fountain Lodge No 198 on March 1 was filled with enthusiastic Odd Fellows when the "Traveler" was presented A number of the Grand Lodge officers and many prominent members of the order were present The lodges of Alameda county were well represented, as well as some in other jurisdictions Members from San Francisco Bay City Apollo Odin and the baby lodge Fort Point No 406 enjoyed the occasion The reception of the "Traveler" from Bay City Lodge No 71 was a success The visitors were heartily welcomed The exercises commenced with the admittance of the guard of honor with the "Traveler" conveyed by members of Fort Point Lodge 406 which is composed solely by soldiers of the Presidio in uniform, made a pleasing effect

P G Henry Nuburgh in behalf of Bay City Lodge No 71 in an instructive and eloquent speech confided the "Traveler" to the care of Fountain Lodge, which was received by V N G, W A Sturgeon in pleasing and appropriate response During the evening speeches were made by P C M F B Ogden grand treasurer J W Harris "The Silver-tongued orator" Wm H Barnes P G S H C Kemp, P G P Downs Bro Williams of Fort Point Lodge No 406, N G of Odin Lodge Past Grands H D Newhouse and A Steiner of Bay City the N G of Apollo No 123 and others Refreshments were served in the banquet hall after the exercises.

Harbor Lodge No 253 I O O F met in regular form last Wednesday evening at Alcatraz Hall Seventh and Peralta streets West Oakland Noble Grand L P Talbott presided A communication was received from Sacramento relief board stating that Bro George P Fare was improving The third degree was conferred on four candidates under the direction of P G Samuel Adams drill master third degree One proposition for membership was received and the noble grand appointed a committee of investigation The special committee reported progress, stating that the various committees would have reports next Wednesday evening The Oriental degree team will have charge under good of the order and will drill for the degree for our St Patrick's celebration Wednesday evening March 17 Among the visitors were brothers C C Ditewoodie of Ontario, Henry Myers N G of Fountain Lodge J F Thompson N G of North Oakland Lodge Brothers Toveale and Grand of North Oakland Lodge Brothers Clark and O'Shea of Enterprise Lodge

Rebekahs

Sunset Rebekah Lodge No 109 I O O F held its regular meeting Friday evening Noble Grand Anna Scott presided After a much needed drill Bro Jack Pruitt took charge and entertained in a very creditable manner

One candidate was initiated by card Sister Bell Bullock

Next Friday P N G Sister Lettie Wollesen will be chairman of the attraction committee Friday, March 19 P N G Sister Mattie Marten has charge of the evening J P N G Sister Blanche Mainzer is improving and it is expected that she will soon be active again in the lodge

Golden Link Lodge Rebekah, No 105 will hold a genuine St Patrick social on Wednesday evening, March 17 at Masonic Hall East Fourteenth street Fruitvale Every one must wear something green or stand a small fine The committee in charge is preparing a fine program for the occasion Plans are under way for an "April Fool" affair on March 31

Absit Invidia Rebekah Lodge held a "home social" last Tuesday evening when a splendid time was enjoyed Mrs Wixson was in charge of the evening and with her committee succeeded in producing a very pleasant entertainment Miss Heitt and Mrs Andrews have charge of next Tuesday's program All members of the order are invited to attend

Brooklyn Rebekah Lodge No 12 gave a surprise party to Sister Salback last Saturday evening at her home 1102 East Twenty-first street Cards and music were enjoyed after which supper was served The members of the lodge presented Mrs Salback with a handsome hand painted plate besides numerous other individual presents The guests were

Mr and Mrs Edward Salback Sr Mr and Mrs Edward Salback Jr Master F J Salback Mrs Mattie A Smith Mrs C T Wilson Mrs E M Olney, Mrs W D Florentine Mrs Annie McNeill Mr and Mrs K Gore Mr and Mrs J S Dufton Mr and Mrs L Heino Sr Mr and Mrs W L Heino Mrs M A Milner Mrs Martha Rothamel Mrs Caroline Keck Mrs C H Wright Mrs A J Church Mrs Isabelle Buchman Mrs Just Rogersen Mrs M M Kihn Mrs J C Yoakum Miss Isabel Kihn Miss Margaret Kihn Otto B Wolf and Master Roth ...

Brooklyn Rebekah Lodge No 12 I O O F met Monday evening After the business of the lodge was completed a splendid reception was tendered Brother and Sister W Heino who were recently married and to Sister Mary Teeple whose birthday was remembered A short program was rendered Gifts were presented to all who participated Mr Lipha presided at the banquet as toastmaster

Maccabees

Oakland Tent No 17, Knights of the Maccabees had a well attended meeting last Monday night The degree team put on the work in a very creditable manner There were five candidates for the first degree and the manner in which the ... merriment for all those present After the review the ... refreshments

The sick and visiting committee reported that a number of sir knights in Oakland are disabled Some are holding membership in eastern tents

Next Monday night the review will be short and followed by a lecture ... D R Hill chaplain of the tent All sir knights and friends have been extended an invitation to attend

Ladies of the Maccabees

Ladies of the Maccabees Oakland Hive No 14 will have a St Patrick's party next Thursday evening All members should be dressed to suit the occasion The members of the various hives about the bay are making preparations to entertain the supreme ... Dr Lillie Hill ... evening March 18

Sons of St. George

Albion Lodge Sons of St George held their regular weekly meeting Wednesday evening March 3 in Pythian Castle Twelfth and Alice streets The lodge convened at 8 p m A large delegation of members were present

It was with sincere regret that the lodge heard of the death of Brother Swede who was one of the charter members He was an ardent and enthusiastic worker in all lodge affairs His illness extended over several weeks but it was not thought to be fatal

Knights of Pythias

Oakland Lodge No 103 K of P held a very enthusiastic and interesting convention last Thursday evening One application for membership was received and the rank of page conferred on Kringers Oscar A Crimm and H I Gilston Interesting remarks were made by members and visitors Brother Whiting of Detroit Michigan gave a resume of his visits to the lodges of the northwest including the domains of Montana Colorado Washington and Oregon and the state of the order there in Brother Burns of Ventura ... the advisability of erecting a home for aged Pythians Brother Dr T W Peck ... his original humorous paper entitled Mottism versus Jackson-ism Expressions of regret were made during the ... for the untimely death of Brother Harry Smith ... On Thursday March 11 the rank of esquire will be conferred

Companions of Foresters

Pride of the Forest Circle C O F A O F will give a St Patrick whist party Wednesday evening March 17 in the Foresters building Thirteenth and Clay streets Souvenir score cards and hand painted china prizes will be distributed to all of the tables They are the work of Miss Thompson

The last whist party given on February 17 by the Third Wednesday Whist Club of this Circle was enjoyable and successful

On February 18 occurred the jolly "Come as You Please" Dance which was well attended and much enjoyed

The members of the Circle were the guests of Court Advocate on the occasion of their house warming in their new hall where they reveled in the hospitality of the court

On Wednesday evening March 31 the Circle will have a large class ... Mrs W ... the enthusiastic ... Hill ... will receive ... persons between ... ages ...

PYTHIAN SISTERS ARE TO WELCOME THEIR PAST CHIEF

Daughters of St. George

The Daughters of St George have arranged to meet at Pythian Castle Wednesday evening in each week

A dance which was planned for February ... will take place ... Pythian Castle Wednesday March 31 ... Tuesday evening March ... the president ... Sons of St George ... ladies ... the ... Lodge ... Victoria Lodge in San Jose

Woodmen of the World

Athens Camp No 477 W O W held its regular meeting last Wednesday evening at its hall 521 Twelfth street All the officers were present as well as a number of neighbors Several applications were balloted upon Sta... ... Dolson made a few remarks which were received with enthusiasm ... announced an enjoyable program ... held Wednesday evening ... spread will be served ... evening All Neighbors of ... in the ... Several candidates ... the Protection degree and ... Neighbors are requested to attend ... team is progressing ... will play at Piedmont Skating Rink

Modern Woodmen

Fraternity Camp 11122 M W A held an interesting meeting last Monday evening in Woodman Hall when ... were initiated An informal program was enjoyed during the evening On March 8 the regular business meeting of the order will be held A ball for the benefit of the drill team will be given March 15

Fraternal Brotherhood

Oakland Lodge No 123 The Fraternal Brotherhood held a long session on Friday night The full initiatory work was given five candidates who were present and seven new applicants were balloted on

Next Friday night March ... will be an open meeting Friends are invited to attend the whist game to be held in the club parlors Several prizes will be given

The drill team is proud of its new uniforms which are about ready The members of the team expect to put on the floor work next week in real military style There are sixteen young ladies and gentlemen in the team They will appear attractive in the military blue with braid trimming Every member should be present

The Uniform Rank held its first business meeting after the lodge adjourned the ... twenty ... young men having signed its membership roll

The sick committee reported one member ill and recommended the payment of ... accident claim

Organizer Brother MacKenzie is present at every meeting introducing new ... in his genial and enthusiastic way

Women of Woodcraft

The Women of Woodcraft Oakland Circle 201 were entertained February ... at Pythian Hall by a clever company of ... who gave a sketch entitled "Your Neighbor's Wife" It was presented by Mr and Mrs Charles Ellis During the evening a musical program was rendered The Neighbors and friends present enjoyed the entertainment which was in the nature of an impromptu affair A sum ... from the sale of tickets which was satisfactory to the members of the entertainment committee which had worked earnestly for the success of the affair Mesdames Harlow Peterson and Hoffer composed the committee.

Foresters

Ancient Order of Foresters—Court Advocate No 7378 entertained its families and auxiliary—Pride of the Forest Circle No 12—Friday March 5 in its new hall A fine musical program was enjoyed by all A number of encores were responded to J McCracken secretary of the court delivered an address stating the benefits derived from the order and advised all who were not members to unite with them Mrs W N Wetmore, secretary of the circle spoke in behalf of the Companions of the Forest whose benefits are similar to those of the court She invited the wives and daughters of the court members to join in the class initiation on March 31 Mr Stott chairman of the entertainment committee spoke in behalf of both the court and the circle Refreshments were served after which dancing was indulged in until a late hour

Royal Court

Oakland Assembly No 25 held its raffle dance last Tuesday evening in the assembly chamber in the Rice Institute The affair more than surpassed the expectations of the assembly A large sum was realized The pillow raffled was hand painted on leather and was the work of Mrs Bessie Whitehead Number ... carried off the pillow and was held by one of the guests During the evening a potato race was participated in by both the ladies and the gentlemen and created much fun After the assembly closed the guests were invited to dance the remainder of the evening Next Tuesday evening will be a regular closed meeting when there will be a class initiation of candidates as D D R C Whitehead has been busy since the last business meeting On Wednesday and Thursday evenings March 31 and April 1, the assembly will hold a country fair

R. V. DIXON, Dirigo Lodge, K of P. Past Chancellor-Commander —Belle Oudry Photo

MAX GROSS, Who Is Active in Fraternal Circles —Belle Oudry Photo

JOHN C ELLSWORTH, Prominent Member of Dirigo Lodge, K of P —Belle Oudry Photo

News and Gossip of the Women's Clubs

Move to Interest Mothers In the Work of the Schools

BY FLORENCE B LANGWORTHY.

Following the unusual activities of a district convention, the women's clubs on this side of the bay have resumed their regular programs Each bulletin as issued by the local clubs presents more and more interesting programs work of a more serious nature constantly claiming the attention of the club women Civic work is an important feature in many clubs which mean much toward the uplifting of a city Mothers' clubs are being organized throughout the state and are doing splendid work The object of these clubs is to interest the mothers and also the fathers of school children

They are told the necessity of instructing their children in the laws of nature and of the principles which will enable them to become worthy citizens Too much have been left to the school teacher who has the child under her jurisdiction for a few hours leaving much time for it to come under wrong influences The mothers clubs will be an important factor in forming the character of the rising generation The mothers of the children are eager to attend the meetings of the clubs and an interest which will continue has been awakened

The Berkeley High School Mothers' Club will hold its regular monthly meeting Monday afternoon March 8th at 3 15 o'clock in the High School Auditorium

The club will consider the adoption of a constitution and by-laws A short program of special interest at this time has been arranged Prof William Carey Jones, who, as a member of the Freeholders' committee gave a great deal of thought to the new charter for Berkeley will speak on "The Effect of the New Charter on the Public Schools"

Dr F A Lacey will address the club taking for his subject "The Relation of the Mothers' Club to the School" Dr Lacey has had a number of years' experience as superintendent of schools and will relate his experience with mothers' clubs as an aid in public school work

The Misses Marian Turner, Dorothy Pillsbury and Alice McComb a trio of High School young ladies accompanied by Miss William Davis will sing (a) "In Summer Seek Thy Sweetheart True" Reinecke, (b) "Dutch Dolls" Ostlere

OAKLAND CLUB NOMINATES DIRECTORS.

At the business meeting held by the Oakland Club on Wednesday, ten directors were nominated to be voted on April 7 Other nominations made was that of Miss Bessie Wood as a member of the pure milk commission and Miss Mary McElroy to represent the Oakland Club on the board of the Anti Tuberculosis League

An interesting feature of the afternoon was the hearing of the reports of the officers and delegates to the District Convention held in Berkeley last week Among those who read reports were Mrs John Ronald Mrs. Nora Ryle, Mrs Leroy B Hackett Mrs F R Chadwick Miss Bessie Wood Mrs Ronald's report was unusually interesting and described the harmonious relations existing between the clubs of the Alameda district

The program for Wednesday March 10, will be of especial interest to all the club members Mrs Elinor Carlisle will speak on "The Scope of Mothers' Club Work" and Mrs Joseph F James will tell of the National Congress of Mothers recently held in New Orleans

Mrs R H McKaig will be chairman of the afternoon and will be assisted by the following club members Miss S F Mikel Mrs Jessie Dean Moore Mrs John Mole Mrs B F Mouser Mrs J L McCarthy Miss Florence M Nace Mrs A F Pillsbury Mrs J P Potter

The board of directors of the club have decided not to undertake the sale of the special edition of the San Francisco Globe

On March 31 plans for an Arbor Day will be made when Miss Florence M Nace will be chairman This is an innovation in the club work and arousing quite a bit of interest among the members

There will be a rummage sale held on Saturday March 13 under the chairmanship of Mrs C S Chamberlain The proceeds will be devoted to club work

ALTA MIRAS ORGANIZE HORTICULTURAL SCHOOL

The Alta Mira Club of San Leandro Mrs W S Peters president is accomplishing many things along civic lines On Thursday a meeting was held at the home of the president when a horticultural school was organized Hugo H Tillenthal was present and gave a talk and practical demonstrations on the subject The class is open for gentlemen as well as ladies and children Much interest was shown in the subject at the meeting on Thursday and the class promises to be of interest to its members

A meeting of the executive board was held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs W A Brown

Mrs Charles J Woodbury of Oakland will go out to the club tomorrow and give an address "Concerning the Training of Children" Miss Ida M Fisher will be chairman of the reception committee and Mrs G H Ohea will preside at the tea table

On March 15 the History Section will meet with Mrs S B Force and the Current Events Section will meet with Miss Helen Gordon Barker.

AMENDMENTS TO EBELL BY-LAWS

On Tuesday the regular monthly meeting of Ebell Club was held at the building on Harrison street Several amendments were made to the by-laws and the reports from the District Federation were heard

On Tuesday the monthly luncheon will be enjoyed Mrs R S Phelps will be the presiding hostess and Mrs J Hamilton Todd will be the chairman of music

A musical program contributed by Miss Madeline Todd Mrs F C Roberts James H Todd Jr Thomas Rieger and Mrs Edwin Garthwaite will follow the luncheon Miss Waterman, who has a beautifully cultivated contralto voice will sing a group of songs accompanied by her sister Miss Susan Waterman A quintet Opus 16 (Jadassohn) will be played by Miss Madeline Todd first violin Mrs F C Roberts second violin James H Todd Jr viola Thomas Rieger 'cello Mrs Edwin Garthwaite piano

The program announced for March 16 will be given in the evening as is an occasional custom of the club Bruce Gordon Kingsley will interpret Wagner's wonderful opera "Parsifal" He will have the assistance of a piano and stereopticon views Mrs Vernon Waldron will be the chairman of the reception committee

ADELPHIANS PLAN A BUSY WEEK

The union meeting of the Adelphian Club yesterday proved most entertaining the Rev Charles R Brown delivering his lecture "Days in Russia" Mr Brown is a fluent and interesting speaker and the audience which comfortably filled the auditorium were exceedingly well pleased A cup of tea with cake and a social chat rounded out the pleasure of the afternoon

The following is the schedule from the club's bulletin for the coming week tion

Monday—4 p m German Class

Tuesday—2 45 p m Tourist Section Vienna

Wednesday—2 p m, Shakespeare Section

Thursday—2 p m, French class for beginners 3 30 p m Advanced class

Friday—10 a m, Choral Section

Friday—1 30 p m, Advisory Board Meeting

The club will enjoy its monthly luncheon on March 5 at twelve o'clock

The Literary Section is planning an elaborate program for Friday March 26 when Mrs George Barnes Bird will give an interpretative reading of "Peer Gynt" Musical illustrations vocal and instrumental from Grieg's "Peer Gynt" suite will be given by members of the section

The Hill Club held a most enjoyable meeting on Monday March 1 at the residence of Mrs W W Garthwaite El Dorado avenue The program which included several musical numbers was arranged by Mrs H H Garthwaite A paper on "Preservation of Our Forests" was given by Mrs Louise H Cockroft The paper was full of interesting data and aroused much enthusiasm among the members The Ibsen Trio Music which was played at a previous meeting by Mrs H G Craft and Mrs E H Garthwaite was repeated by request Miss Grace Roberts contributed a group of songs (a) "Die Lotusblume" (b) "Deussennechlen" (Schumann) (c) "Fussreise" (Hugo Wolf)

Violin solos were a pleasing feature and were given by Mrs Roberts Her numbers were "Berceuse Slav" (Merida) "Penseo Fugitive" (Heller) andante from Sonata in F (Grieg)

Miss Rohe closed the program with a second group of songs which included "Oh Thy Thy Cheek on Mine" (Adolf Jensen) "Oh for a Breath of the Moorland" (William Arms Fisher)

The meeting for the day closed with a social hour and cup of tea

Mrs L P Cook will be hostess at the next meeting which will be held on March 15 at her home 18 Orange street

ART LECTURE AT LAUREL HILL CLUB

The first program in March given by the Laurel Hill Club was under the direction of Mrs Sophie R ... art leader of the art section The subject for the afternoon was Andrea Del Sarto the program being as follows

His Life and Art Mrs William Bray Mrs Nathaniel Blaisdell Mrs R ... Harris Mrs A F Lucas The Madonna del Arpie Miss A Simonton The Last Supper Mrs Allen ... Women Immortalized by Art Mrs John Martin Browning's Andrea del Sarto Mrs S I Pratt

A surprise program to be given on March 17 is being arranged for the pleasure of the club members

This popular club hold its meetings in the California Club House 1750 Clay street The officers of the club are Mme Emilia Tojetti president 2815 Scott street San Francisco Mrs Nelson I Bird corresponding secretary 2100 Bush street San Francisco Mrs C D Willits recording secretary 3018 Benvenue avenue Berkeley Mrs Allan H Evans treasurer 103 Bento avenue Berkeley

There are a number of sections which are well attended Among them are Art second and fourth Thursdays 2 p m 2100 Bush street Mrs Sophie R ... leader Original Writers first and third Wednesdays 11 a m Club House Mrs Ella M Sexton leader California Pioneer History Mrs H C ...

Civic Improvements Are Planned by the Alta Miras

Booker Committee Chairman Lilliattin Mrs Edward De Witt Taylor

PLAYERS WILL MEET ON TUESDAY NEXT

The Players Club Mrs George H Perry president will hold its next meeting on Tuesday March 9 at the residence of Mrs J W Schouten 1515 Grand street This club whose members are progressive and students of the new drama meet twice a month one meeting being for members only the other open to guests The subject selected for Tuesday's discussion will be Hauptmann's "Sunken Bell" The president will also give a synopsis of "Penelope" the new play given by W Somerset Maugham which deals with the domestic problem

An open meeting will be held later in the month the date not yet decided upon when Prof Benjamin Kurtz will give his lecture "Hobbies"

At the last open meeting of the club Mr Jay Sutherland gave an interesting paper the subject being "Tomorrow" Mr Sutherland told his audience "I am going to take you into my confidence I am not really going to talk of Tomorrow but when I have the blues and my mind naturally reverts to the disappointment of today and the failures of yesterday I counteract the effects by thinking of tomorrow So in my text mark might lead you into the Sloughs of Despond I ask you to counteract the bad effect by keeping your mind on tomorrow the most glorious day in the calendar of eternity My reason for taking up this subject is that this is for a new ...

... of this kind to teach and feed mentally the younger generation that, no matter not what play or book, may be presented them one may not fear but that they will assimilate the good and know off the bad

The drama is yet in its infancy rough and crude There is no decadence as so many are from ... to come and with it the ripening of the truth when we shall read between the lines

Full of hope for the morrow we shall rise on wings of faith and from clouds of seeming impossibilities we shall view the scene like unto that seen by the eagle as it soars high above the snow capped peaks of our lofty Sierras gazing on the splendor of a glorious but unrisen morrow

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The Magic Sign: A Legend

PROVINCES were in revolt against French rule, troops were needed badly This was the news that caused the French army to withdraw from Algiers and to hasten by forced marches toward the scene of disturbance

Scarcely had the soldiers crossed the frontier line than there rose up in Algiers one Ben Gaudek an Arab chieftain. The breadth of the land he rode fiercely denouncing France and urging the people to take up arms against her

Ben Gaudek s efforts to incite rebellion were so successful that when the French troops returned to Algiers they found themselves greatly outnumbered by the insurrectionists In one contest although they repulsed and killed many

SIGN SUSPENDED FROM BALLOON

of the Arabs they themselves suffered great loss

This sort of campaign the French general perceived would never do Yet he did not wish to ask for a larger army

At last he thought of a scheme to outwit the Arabs Under a flag of truce he paid a visit to Ben Gaudek addressing the chieftain in this fashion

It is useless for you to war against France Sooner or later your entire forces will be destroyed This is bound to happen since it is by Allah s command we rule over you He wished to punish you for your sins therefore he sent us to conquer you

I do not believe it cried the Arab

The Frenchman calmly responded You would have a sign? Very well watch closely the heavens tonight There you will learn the truth

Quickly the general returned to camp where he immediately ordered a large transparency made, upon the bottom of which were pasted strips of red paper in the form of Arabic characters Wicks were securely fastened inside the frame so that when they were burning the red letters would show plainly

Ben Gaudek s curiosity regarding the sign was so great that he confided in others Rapidly the news spread and when night fell the whole Arab army was to be seen gazing intently at the sky

They had not long to wait Soon across the sky overhead moved brilliant letters of red flame In them the awed Arabs read

I COMMAND YOU TO CEASE FIGHTING IT IS MY DESIRE TO HAVE FRANCE RULE OVER YOU THUS DO I PUNISH YOU ALLAH

Exclaiming aloud in terror the Arabs threw themselves upon the ground nor dared raise their eyes until the magic sign of Allah had disappeared

They straightway made submission to the French general who by merely flying one of his war balloons with the transparency suspended beneath it gained an important victory

Stolen: Monsieur's Punch and Judy Show

"COME, let us play leapfrog!" shouted Jules presenting a back for those who cared to take advantage of the invitation

His companions were soon vaulting lightly over him, and the line kept moving rapidly forward down the street, imperiling the safety of persons who passed by Indeed, it so happened that as the line turned a corner Armaud went headfirst into a portly gentleman approaching whereupon the lads found it convenient to suddenly flee

When Armaud paused for breath at a safe distance from any gendarme (policeman) who might be in pursuit, he found Jules at his elbow

Too bad grunted Jules that the game had to be broken up It s almost school time and too late to get the fellows together again

Armaud who while his companion was speaking had been absorbed in his own thoughts now turned to Jules saying

You don t want to play truant from school this afternoon do you?

Well that depends replied Jules thoughtfully

The fact is explained Armaud I've a scheme to get even with the professor who runs the Punch and Judy show in the Champs Elysees He complained to the gendarme because I threw a ball at Punch during the performance yesterday Had an awful time getting away too But I have a scheme that ll fix him, only it needs two to work it

This adventure promised excitement exactly to Jules liking so he was quick to answer

All right, count me in

VAULTING LIGHTLY OVER

When other boys passed into their class rooms that afternoon Jules and Armaud were not among them Round about the Champs Elysees the two lads wandered their eyes gleaming with in dulgence of a frolic

Some distance from the rear seats grouped before the little theater of the Punch and Judy show the lads stopped They waited for the musician to pick up his violin—a signal that the performance was about to begin

The very instant the musician raised his bow Jules darted away Running swiftly toward the booth he rapped quickly on the door at the back Out came the proprietor of the theater with his sleeves rolled up ready to manipulate the little figures He was exceedingly angry at being interrupted at such a time But before he had opportunity to vent his wrath Jules burst out

Monsieur a relative of yours has been seriously hurt by accident and now lies at the chemist s shop yonder He begs that you come to him immediately

Imagining all sorts of frightful things the proprietor rushed to the druggist s shop without donning his coat Jules at once slipped into the booth while Armaud who had been cautiously drawing near took a post where he could note the return of the owner

Meantime the audience of boys and girls was eagerly awaiting the appearance of the characters in the Punch and Judy show The violinist had ceased playing and now they were calling for the manikins to begin their performance

STRANGE SORT OF PLAY

Suddenly the curtain flew up A moment later the play began But it was such a play as any boy or girl had ever seen before Punch and Judy stood on their heads most of the time or kicked wildly in the air And they fought—how they fought

Frantically the children applauded It was splendid! But the musician was so shocked that his mouth opened wide enough to have swallowed his violin especially when the manikins called each other horrible names and invited the musician to come up and fight them As for the gendarme HE had to lean against a post for support

Of course Jules it was who was operating the show and doing all the mischief He was enjoying himself immensely too when Armaud gave a cry of warning The professor had returned

Jules did not hear his friend And Armaud determined not to desert his comrade hastily entered the booth Then together they started to run But it was too late Both dived toward a dark corner of the booth and piled over themselves a heap of curtains they found there

Find the rogue who has tried to steal my show and who would mock me! cried monsieur flushed and perspiring from anger and the heat of the wild goose chase upon which he had been sent

He was handling the puppets a moment ago said the gendarme but I fear he must have escaped

Still fuming the professor shut his little theater and started for home In high dudgeon Jules would laugh when he tried to give a play now after what had occurred

Jules and Armaud breathed freely when they heard his departing footsteps They were not yet out of the scrape however for the proprietor had locked the door of the theater behind him Therefore the only means of exit was through the window that served for a stage in the front of the booth Nor could the climb out without being seen by a gendarme

There was nothing to do but wait for darkness Many weary hours they lay there wondering if after all the joke had not turned upon themselves And until nightfall did they dare risk dropping from the miniature stage to the ground Then they scuttled away secure in the belief that punishment would await them on their arrival home

They were right The parents of both lads were satisfied with the exemplary punishment given and the boys received fitting punishment

THE STRANGE ANTICS OF PUNCH AND JUDY CAUSE MUCH EXCITEMENT

Next time you try to get even with the professor you can do the job by yourself Jules said frankly to Armaud when again they met Armaud isn t very anxious to make another attempt to get even however.

Story of a Baker King

A CERTAIN king of Bavaria strolled one day beyond the palace grounds Wishing to be alone, he had dismissed his escort

Upon his return as he passed through the gates of the palace the king observed that the guard there stationed failed to present arms

Why do you not salute? thundered the king Don t I provide your daily bread?

Now the guard had been on duty at the palace for only a day and he did not recognize his royal master Naturally he did not imagine that his majesty would travel about unattended

For some little time he pondered over the king s outburst then a light broke upon him Shaking his fist angrily at the monarch he grumbled

Oh! it s you is it? You're the son

THOUGHT HIM THE BAKER'S SON

of the cursed baker who gives us such villainous bread Humph! it s you! I advise you not to come too near or I ll show you what I think of your daily bread I ll jab you full of holes—that s what I ll do!

The joke was so good that the king could not take offense Fancy a sovereign being mistaken for his baker!

Not What He Seemed

THE old gentleman who was always declaring that boys were not what they used to be stopped in front of the smart child

Well Buddy greeted the old gentleman how it s you today?

Very well sir responded the smart child shrilly

And do you ever think what you are going to do when you are a great big man?

N—no sir

Ah I knew it Children are so shiftless these times And why don't you give it any thought?

B—because I am a little girl, sir."

Pa Answered Not.

Little Willie—Say pa?

Pa—Well my son?

Little Willie—Does a mill race come under the head of aquatic sports?

Mijo and the "Yose"

STORY-TELLING delighted Mijo more than anything else When he was quite a tiny boy he used to listen to the men who earned their living by telling stories This sort of story-teller at one of the street corners There always stood about him a crowd of gaping coolies listening with great astonishment to the wonderful tales

And then when Mijo grew somewhat older his father would take him to houses where there was a better class of story-tellers—men who related tales of war and of love often accompanying their recitations with the banjo Professional story tellers of this kind formed a guild called a yose and rented places of entertainment where people went to hear stories and songs

Once when Mijo s father was entertaining friends a member of the yose had come and had told stories of the Forty-seven Ronin the Three Kingdoms and tales about the wars of the Taira and Minamoto families The boy remembered that whenever the story-teller would say something that he regarded as being very clever he would rap with a little slab of wood

MIJO RETELLS THE STORIES

So impressed was Mijo with the tales that upon succeeding days he would gather his boy chums around him and tell again the stories He could imagine well too, so that when he concluded the tales of the story-teller he began to construct ones of his own They pleased the lads immensely and they begged Mijo for more As time went on the boy became very skilful in his art He went to the houses of the yose whenever his father could take him, in order that he might learn from the masters of story-telling

There came a day when Mijo s father could no longer pay an admittance to the houses of the yose Business matters had not gone well with him and now he was very poor Mijo was much sorrier for his father and mother than he was for himself He must try to help them in some way But what should he do?

Best of all he could tell stories Yet he was only 13 years old—certainly not old enough to become a professional story-teller and earn money in that way But people had told him his stories were quite as good as those told by the yose It were a pity not to make his talent pay him something

I shall have a little yose house of my own said Mijo determinedly I shall have a room set apart in our house and there I will invite all my boy friends who like to hear my stories But while heretofore they have listened and have not been asked to pay anything I shall now request them to make small donations

From the very start Mijo s plan was a success Although fees were never very large and rarely in money yet provisions and articles of all descriptions poured in from the children Then grown folk began to hear about this wonderful story-teller who was only a little boy They began to call upon him leaving real money

After a while the members of the big yose found that many of their best customers were going to hear the boy, who changed his stories and songs almost every day instead of on every fortnight according to the usual custom Story tellers were sent from the yose to speak with the boy At last they were obliged to offer Mijo membership in the guild

The boy had become famous His fame for story telling had gone throughout the land Soon it was that through him his family was again wealthy—possessing more riches than ever before

Improved Upon It

ONE of the lady teachers at an English free school was putting a junior class through the beginnings of arithmetic

Now I have one pencil in my right hand and one in my left she said How many pencils have I? Thompson you may answer

Two piped a small voice

So that one and one make two isn t that right?

You bet said Thompson with the flush of victory

The teacher frowned at this disrespectful answer

That is hardly what you should have said she hinted Will some one in the class tell Thompson what his answer should have been?

There was a moment of hesitation Then a brown first shot confidently into the air

Ah James you may tell Thompson what he should have said

You bet your boots shouted James in a tone of triumph

WHEN I'M AFRAID OF JOHNNY

SOMETIMES I do not budge an inch
When Johnny gives me an awful pinch
And even when he pulls my hair
It isn't very much I care

For I'm not frightened enough to run—
Deed I just think it lots of fun
To close with him and have a fight
Though mother says THAT isn't right

But I'll be honest and I'll say
He really frightens me ONE way—
When he pretends he's in the zoo
And does the things that beasts there do

Through iron bars he looks just so
(A chalkback YOU will say I know)
And roars and roars so loud and shrill
Way up my back the creeps a chill

Oh bears and tigers elephants
Pythons bears and ormanat
Everything he tries to be—
Everything that scares poor me

He growls and howls till I forget
He's not a beast and start to fret
And wonder when it's time to sup
If he will try to chew ME up!

HEROIC OBEDIENCE

RECENTLY a Dublin gentleman proposed to drive with his wife to the beautiful Glasnevin Cemetery Calling his little son a bright boy about 4 years old he told him to get ready to accompany them The child s countenance fell Well father said Don t you want to go Willie? The little lip quivered Yes papa if you wish The child was strangely silent during the drive and when the carriage drew up at the entrance he clung to his mother s side and looked up in fearful wonder with the wistfulness The party alighted and walked among the graves and along the avenue of cypresses looking at the inscriptions on the tastefully placed of the dwellers in the beautiful city of the dead After an hour or so they returned to the carriage and the father lifted the little boy to his seat The child looked surprised but breathed freely and asked Why are you looking at me with such a Oh Nothing I thought you might be afraid to be left in the cemetery they left them there said the child

The Hostess who wasn't Present

"OH DAN what in the world shall I do? The chill chills and fever have come on me so quickly that I haven't had time to send word to the guests that my party must be postponed They'll all be right in and oh dear I—I— Nan's teeth chattered so with a chill at this point that she fell back upon her pillow burying herself under a mountain of bedclothes

Dan patted her feet comfortingly Don't worry Sis I'll see that the party comes through all right I'm most too old to entertain them myself but I'll find a way You spend your time getting well and forget all about the party I'll be a good sport for you after the party is over and the chills are over too

When Nan's doctor came from the rooms where they had deposited their wraps they were surprised to find not a single person there to receive them Presently one of the girls noticed four yard cord winding

Come look here! See what this placard says

A great square piece of pasteboard was suspended from the chandelier Upon the board was printed the following word

Hello to our guests that she cannot be present this evening She therefore asks the guests to be their own hosts and hostesses Her recommendation is that for entertainment each person suggest a game In the book case will be found any number of books containing instructions for card games She hopes every one will have a splendid time

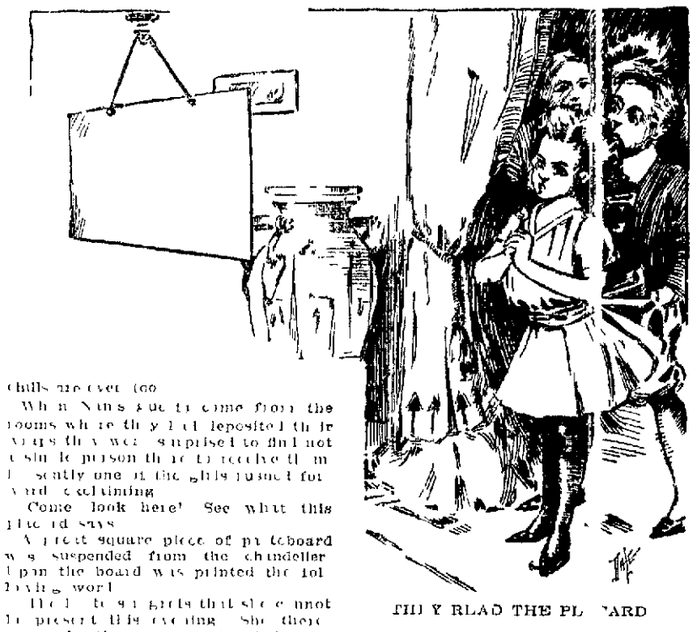
At first the guests looked blankly at each other Then a boy laughed a roar of laughter

Well if this isn't a joke shouted he and the others joined in.

But the boys and girls were not long in carrying out Nan s suggestion Some knew good games and seldom played others set their wits to work to manufacture entertainment, while the first pounced upon books and found most attractive means for pleasant pastime

Here s a good one" ed a boy Let me read it He then read as follows

This game is played with soft woolen balls the colors being in pairs—two balls two reds and so forth The pairs are opposite each other, children with blue balls have blue paper All the balls are put up in the air at once when a clap gives the signal Each player tries to catch his or



THEY READ THE PLACARD

her own color A forfeit paid for any ball found on the floor The colors show the owners Forfeits must also be paid for any ball caught of the wrong color

Dan s trick box furnished the balls Soon there was plenty of excitement and fun

During one game Nan's Nut to find an Apple to Sea in which two players sit at one side of the room with the letter C placed prominently over her head, the other with the name 'London' written in plain view on her breast The other players stand at the opposite wall of the room They come toward London and the C one at a time with arms outstretched to their full length The nut may be walnut chestnut or hazel, and it must be carried to London on the extreme point of a knife held in the right outstretched hand The apple is carried on a teaspoon in the left hand. If either nut or apple drop the player is out and must pay a forfeit The nut must be picked up by the knife and the apple with the spoon without aid of either hand

Great dexterity is required in this game It was over so funny to watch the anxiety of players to get from London to C

There were other games—one a competition for constructing a box Candy was offered as a prize in this event, so that there was keen rivalry

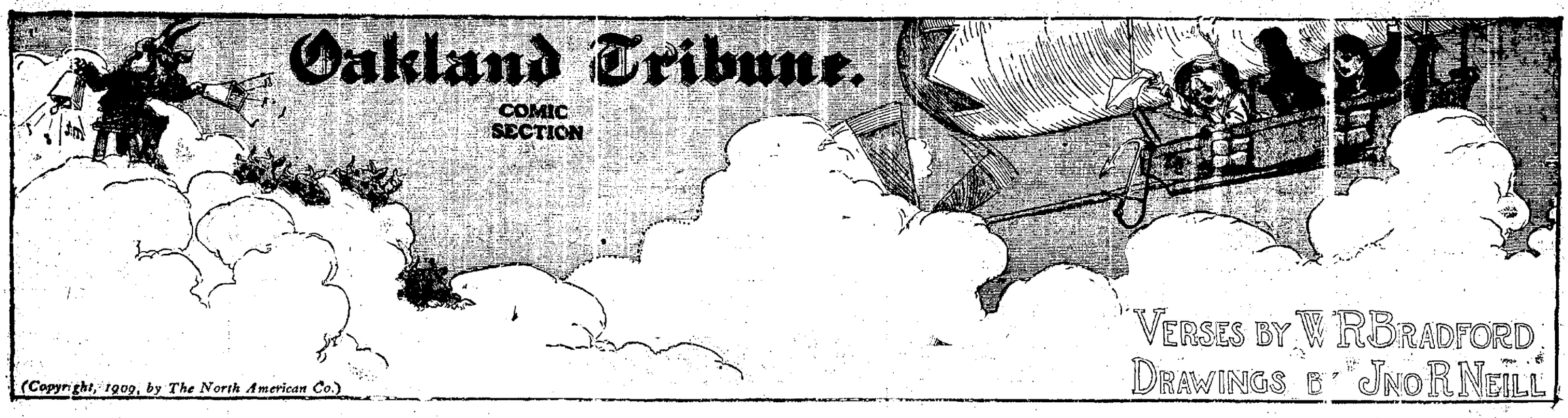
The evening passed merrily The boys and girls rather liked the mystery of Nan s non-appearance for she gave instructions that no one should be informed of her illness

As Nan tossed now with fever in her little bed upstairs, the sounds of mirth arose to her She gave a little sigh of satisfaction—she knew that Dan had solved the vexing problem of having a party without a hostess

Answering Beforehand

IN A FISH shop in Brighton stands a glass tank filled with water, in which there is a single goldfish Hanging on the outside of the tank is a placard, which contains the following answers to questions which the proprietor of the shop has got tired of replying to by word of mouth

This is a goldfish.
It is alive
There is only one of it.
We got it from a boy
We do not know where the boy got it.
It has never died
It eats what we give it
That is water it is in
We get the water out of a well
We do not know how old it is
We have had it ever since we got it.
We have had more but have not got them now
It it sleeps we do not know it
We change the water as often as we want to
We do not know how long it will live
We do not miss the water it drinks.
We do not know how large it will grow
We can catch it but do not want to
When we get too much water in the tank we take part of it out
This is all we know about it.
It is not for sale



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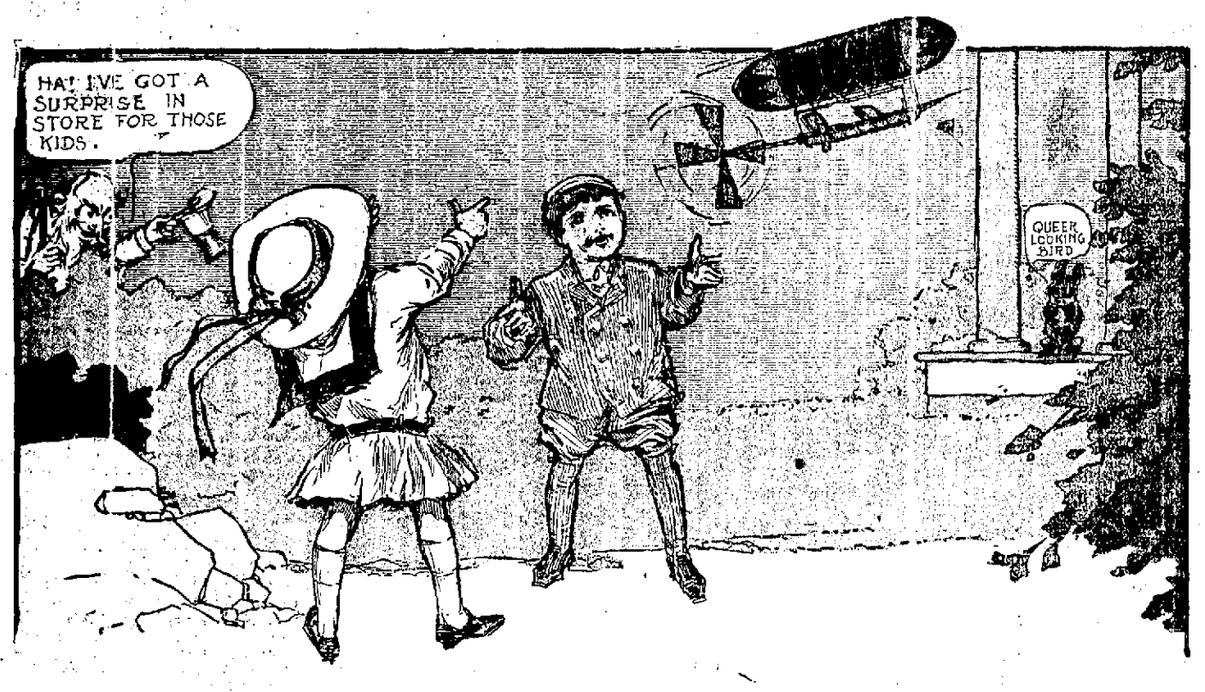
THE LITTLE JOURNEYS OF NIP AND TUCK

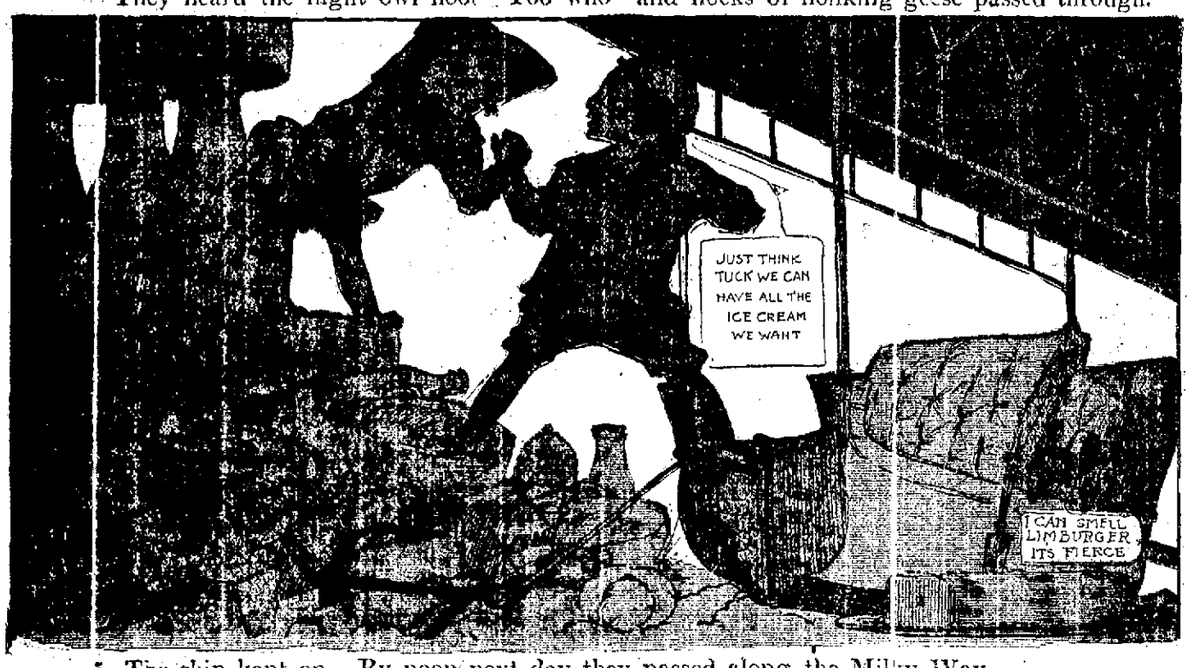


1. A girl and boy named Tuck and Nip were playing with a toy airship
Said Nip to Tuck, "I wish this ship was real, and we could take a trip
Above the clouds, and up so high, and see the queer folk in the sky."

2. Lo, then behold a little gnome! "Your wish is granted—you shall roam."
And with a touch of magic wand, the toy became an airship grand.
In stepped the girl, and then the boy. The ship was real, no more a toy.

3. Up rose the ship with wondrous speed, and all their courage they did need;
For looking down, with awe and fear, they saw the city disappear;
They heard the night owl hoot "Too who" and flocks of honking geese passed through.

4. The night grew dark, the stars shone bright, the moon gave out its kindly light.
They left the village far below. Up, up! the airship still did go.
Said Nip to Tuck, "I think that soon, if this keeps on, we'll reach the moon."



5. The ship kept on. By noon next day they passed along the Milky Way.
They anchored there, and found a store of ice cream, cheese and milk galore.
The little tots, by hunger bold, did eat and drink all they could hold.

6. Each one their hunger satisfies. The Sand Man comes to close their eyes
Upon a bed of buttermilk, the coverlid of downy silk,
The tots lay down, and all is still, and they are soon in Slumberville.

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The Smartest Fashions of Last Year's Fall

Spring Shopping

MY DEAR MADGE:

Not the least of the Lenten pleasures that one may properly indulge in is shopping—that delightful pastime when one may see fabrics and trimmings sent from all over the world for the pleasure of womankind. And what a bond of sympathy this costume choosing may be! I should think that this would be one time of year when you would be sorry that you have become suburbanized, for it is almost impossible to give the proper attention to the selection of a gown when one must hurry for a train.

Gertrude Everly and I spent the afternoon choosing material for a spring gown that could do duty for the earliest entertainment, and might also be worn as a calling gown. The one we at length selected was of ecru satin broadcloth, to be trimmed with heavy bands of gold embroidery. The gown will be made on the princess style, while the embroidery will be arranged in the manner of the Middle Ages.

Mrs. Everly wore this afternoon the most charming compromise of fashion. It was a gray broadcloth, with the coat much trimmed with buttons and held together in front over a white blouse by a crossed vest of mauve ottoman silk. The skirt was slashed at the side and then fastened over with buttons covered with the material, with simulated buttonholes of rat-tail braid. The skirt, of course, was made to extend a little above the waist line, and the vest entirely hid where blouse and skirt met. It was a pretty costume, and one that might be accused of possessing the lines of the directoire without being exactly committed to that or to any newer fashion.

I wore my dark blue cheviot—an almost plain tailored coat with a suede collar. The back is the most peculiar part of this costume, for the coat is cut so that the line of stitching is a little above the waist line. My hat was of blue crin trimmed with ecru plumes. Mrs. Everly wore a fascinating chapeau of softest plaited straw, bound with a satin ribbon and tied on the left side in a pretty bow.

The other shoppers all showed the influences of the style to come, although none of them gave a distinct idea of what that style might be. The hats were small, as usual, and the coats were long. If the bolero is really what we will wear during the late summer, it has not yet appeared.

I was struck with the girl in the store who waited upon us. She was not only very pretty, but she was dressed so admirably for her position. She had cast off the everlasting white shirtwaist, which is always so difficult to keep neat and fresh, and, instead, wore a black cloth gown fastened on the right side over a plain white guimpe finished with a tiny black bow. She looked so very well, and was so fresh and attractive, that buying clothes from her was a pleasure.

Always affectionately, ELEANOR.

CONCERNING HEALTH and BEAUTY

By MRS. HENRY SYMES

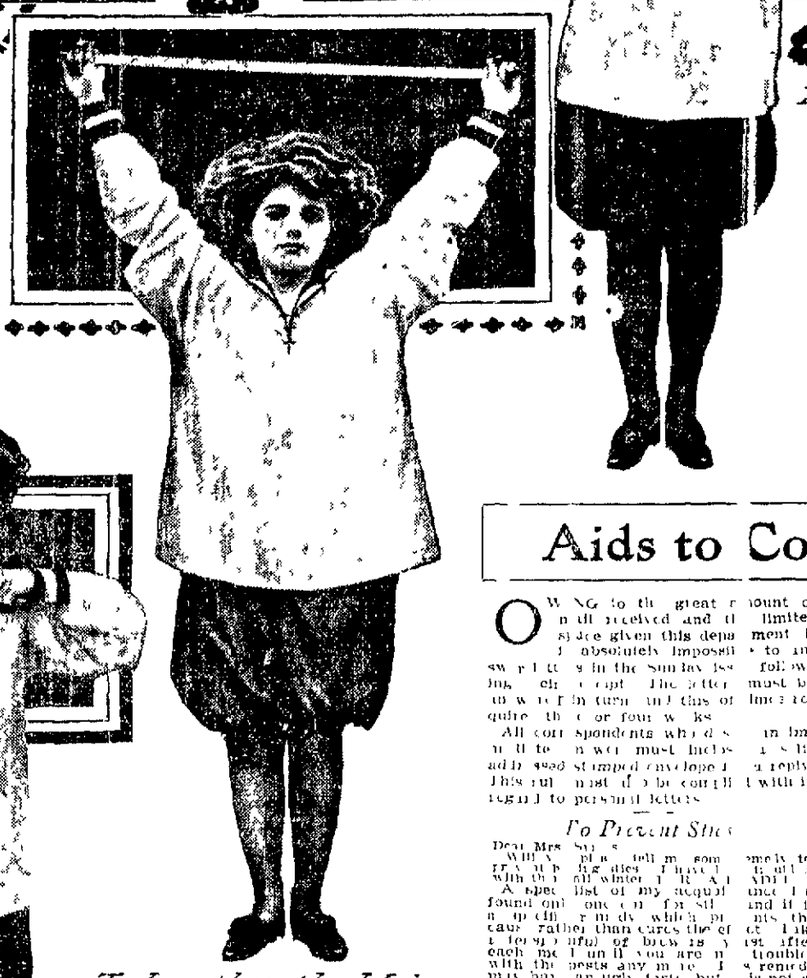
EXERCISES with an ELASTIC BAND

Backward Movement to Straighten Shoulders.

To Strengthen the Back.

To Expand the Chest.

To Develop Arms and Neck.



To Lengthen the Waist

YOU will find no easy road to a good figure any more than Alexander was able to find a royal road to learning. To exercise must the woman turn and while she may drug herself as she sees fit in the end it is exercise that will help her to attain her heart's desire. Many women have great difficulty in realizing this. I have heard them say: 'Of course I do not walk at all but then I do not eat many sweets yet you see how fat I am.' Poor women. They find it hard to believe that they cannot be sylphs unless they take the trouble to be that. If they are unwilling to spend a little time exercising they cannot attempt to hope for the slim figure required by the present mode.

Today I want to show you a few exercises that you may take with great benefit and the only appliance that you need will be a piece of elastic about an inch in width, fastened at either end into loops large enough for your hands. Of course if you are wise you will wear your gymnasium suit or some unconfined gown that will allow each muscle to work its own salvation. The motions that you will make will be much like those that men take with the chest or wall weights only you need not invest in such expensive apparatus.

It is said that disease cannot attack the man who breathes deeply whose entire lungs are in use. Did you know that the average person uses on ordinary occasions but half the depth of his lungs? Of course if a sudden strain comes, when he requires all his breath he realizes how very unaccustomed the necessary organs are to being called into full use.

The first exercise, then, with the elastic is to teach the lungs to breathe deeply. Hold the elastic over the head with arms stretched up, then stretch them outward as far as the elastic will reach first inhaling and then exhaling a long deep breath. Do not perform the motions hurriedly. Get the full good of each. This not only develops the lung capacity but it does much toward lengthening the waist.

The next exercise develops the chest and the lungs too. Stretch the elastic across the chest with arms extended outward. Take a long breath and bend the arms slowly backward while you inhale then bring the arms back to the first position and take a new breath. This will expand the chest and teach you the blessings of free breathing.

To strengthen the back let the elastic extend across the shoulders at the back and stretch the arms as far back as you can. Repeat this motion for a few moments until you feel that your spine and shoulders are tired.

Then holding one end of the elastic at the left side let it cross the back diagonally to the right hand extended upward. The exercise consists in bringing this right hand back to the shoulder and then stretching it up to the full five times. Repeat with position of hands reversed. This exercise if taken through twice a day rapidly corrects any inclination to stooping shoulders.

As a last exercise hold one end of the elastic firmly at the right shoulder in front and with the other end held in the left hand throw the right hand outward and bring it slowly back into place on the shoulder. Repeat this five times and then reverse the position of the hands. This exercise develops arm and neck.

To get the best results from this or any other exercise always stand before an open window. Fresh air is quite the best part of the medicine.

To Appear Young

AS A charming lady once said: 'To remain always young one must be always amiable.'

A melancholy face, a sullen, an evil look is like coming in contact with winter whereas a serene face, a gracious air, a kind and good expression is like a spring day and a smile on the lips like its sunshine.

Sulky people you may have remarked always appear to be ten years older than they really are. The face grows wrinkled from contracting the brows, the mouth projects disagreeably when sulking.

Behold beside the portrait of the sullen woman the picture of a sweet and gracious woman in all her features she is in repose, her lips form an adorable Cupid's bow, kindness soft as her glance, and goodness illuminates her brow.

Perhaps she is the older, but she will always appear young and charming.

ADVICE ON SOCIAL CUSTOMS

Mrs Chester Adams must cordially invite her friends to bring to her their Social Problems and Perplexities by letter at any time

GOOD BREEDING—WHAT IS IT?

WHAT is good breeding? This seems to be the all-important question to the socially ambitious, the problem over which they struggle when they do not receive an invitation that they desire and find themselves slighted by some new-found acquaintance. What is good breeding? Can it be acquired? Is it really important? How does one recognize it?

Is that not a number of questions about something that is so fanciful it cannot be drawn by the artist and cannot be even accurately described by the most facile writer?

Good breeding may be acquired I think although many people say that it cannot. It is true that if one starts to learn all the little cities of this indefinable essential there may be occasions when there will be some doubt about the best course to pursue. But on all ordinary occasions a complete understanding of the meaning of the term will be sufficient to carry you through. I will try to tell you of a few incidents that will give you some definite idea of what breeding really means. Let me say first that it is composed of many virtues and that no one or two will answer for the whole. Almost every one possesses two or even three of the essential qualities but all are necessary to make up 'breeding.'

In the first place there is consideration. This is perhaps the most important for it is the ingredient of which all the rest are mere accessories. Then there is generosity, hospitality, self-control and gentleness. These are the abstract virtues but besides one needs a certain amount of education and natural or acquired tact. Possessing all of these one may face the world with perfect confidence of doing, saying and being the right thing at the right time no matter how or when.

One time I visited a certain family where none of the essentials of comfort were provided. No one mentioned them. By comforts I mean the usual ordinary necessities, towels, soap and such intimate details. If I asked for anything an abject apology was made and the article was ungrudgingly produced, yet all the time I felt as though I had been forgotten, that my hostess had no feeling of either consideration or hospitality. That was a question of breeding on the part of the hostess and yet it was so small a thing that even though I have told you the details I am not at all convinced that you understand exactly wherein she fell short. It was not so much lack of consideration, it was more in her apology, but somehow I was made to feel she had not considered me of sufficient account to trouble over. Yet had she met me at the open door with open arms and protested too earnestly about the accommodations she would have been liable to just the same criticism, although this time it would have been laid at the door of inexperience and lack of self-control.

TWO ILLUSTRATIONS

Another instance. A young girl—we shall call her Mary—went to the house of a friend of hers (Nellie) that they both might go to an afternoon tea together. Mary wore a street gown although of rather dressy style while Nellie was going to receive at the entertainment and was therefore gowned in some light frock. When the time approached for the girls to go to the house where the entertainment was to be held a limousine came up and Nellie's mother telephoned for a carriage. When it arrived she said to Mary: 'I am very sorry but I cannot ask you to drive to the tea with Nellie. Her frock might be crushed.' I think this was a case of poor breeding that needs a little explanation. Mary was in Nellie's house at the moment and therefore her mother violated all laws of hospitality. She did not offer to allow Mary to use the carriage and she not only behaved in so rude a way to a guest in her house but she gave a very foolish excuse for her rudeness. The carriage in question was a coupe and might easily and readily have accommodated two slight young girls. If her natural thought was so unrenerous as to wish her daughter to drive in solitary state to her destination she should have done her best to hide it from the guest. As you may see in so little a thing she broke every law of good breeding.

Some more instance. A Quakeress was entertaining a few friends one evening at her house at dinner when one of the guests accidentally overturned one of the small lamps such as lighted the dinner table a good many years ago. What did the Quakeress do? Here indeed was an opportunity which would test the inherent breeding of almost any one. Did she jump from the table and rush to the burning lamp lamenting its fate in loud tones? Or perhaps in a half hearted sort of way she assured her guest that it made no difference all the time trying to see what harm had been done? Either of these would have been excusable but not the essence of breeding. But she did neither of these she merely looked to see that the guest was not put to any inconvenience by the accident and then she said laughing quietly: 'Why that is nothing, that happens almost every night.' Of course every one laughed and by the time the debris had been cleared away the incident was forgotten by every one.

Was there any wish that goes to make up breeding that the Quakeress did not exercise in the trying occasion? It was an accident which found her entirely unprepared yet I think you will agree with me that she rose to the occasion in just the right way.

PERPLEXITIES SOLVED

When Performing an Act of Courtesy

MY DEAR Mrs Adams: When a man in a canoe has done some little courtesy for a woman should he raise his hat and what should the woman say? INQUIRER.

Yes a man should raise his hat on such an occasion. The woman should say 'Thank you,' so that he may know she appreciates his kindness.

At the Table

My Dear Mrs Adams: Will you kindly tell me how one should eat olives, radishes and olives? S. D. N.

Olives and radishes are taken in the fingers dipped in salt and small portions bitten off. Olives are also taken in the fingers. They should not be put in the mouth whole but the flesh should be eaten from around the stone.

"At Home" Cards

My Dear Mrs Adams: Kindly tell me through the columns of the Tribune what out door at home cards are. We have really served at the afternoon. YOURS VERY TRULY.

At home cards are engraved like tea cards the name of the hostess in the center of the square card the address in the lower right hand corner and in the lower left hand corner the two words 'At Home' the time and the date. On the receiving days tea sandwiches cake and candies are usually served although some people serve chocolate and if the weather is warm punch is the rule. But the first three things I mentioned are necessary.

To Become Acquainted

My Dear Mrs Adams: I am going to move to a city where I am not acquainted. How can we make friends? S. D. and A. D.

The best way to become acquainted is to take letters of introduction with you. To have one or two introductions is generally quite sufficient for these persons will introduce you to others. A letter of introduction to a clergyman will always bring many friends to you.

Wedding Invitations

My Dear Mrs Vine: Kindly tell me in what so many weeks wedding invitations are issued and how soon after the ceremony. BRIDE TO BE.

Wedding invitations are sent out in the names of the father and mother of the bride from a fortnight to a month before the date of the ceremony.

The Bridesmaid's Gowns

My Dear Mrs Adams: I am going to be married in a few months and would like to know if the bride selects her bridesmaids' gowns.

Yes it is customary for the bride and her attendants to discuss the matter and then choose some style which best suits them all. The bride of course dictates the color that she prefers and that will blend with the wedding arrangements.

Same as Before

My Dear Mrs Adams: Should a widow, unless the same as before her husband's death, or should she resume her own Christian name? SUBSCRIBER.

A widow retains her husband's Christian name even after his death and is addressed in the same way as she would be were he still living. A woman ceases to use her former husband's name only after she has been divorced.

When Writing to Men

My Dear Mrs Adams: When writing to men of my acquaintance how shall I sign and address my letters? ANNIE.

You may begin with 'My dear Mr So and so' or 'Dear John' according to the degree of intimacy.

You may close your notes with 'Yours sincerely.' This is a conventional term and is considered correct.

Grace of Form

TO RETAIN your graceful form learn how to carry yourself. If women would be more careful about this will young they would have finer figures and more slender hips when older. The woman who holds herself straight who does not draw her chin to the collar of her garment who keeps back her shoulder blades and thus opens out her breast without an apparent effort keeps her muscles firm and flexible. Thus the heaviness which is so much dreaded and which destroys all youthfulness and grace may be avoided.

The woman who holds herself well who throws the weight of her body on her hips (if she cannot be straight-lined) instead of allowing it to be supported by the abdomen, has the swinging of a queen the walk of a nymph. Do not fear that you will require a haughty expression. On the contrary if your eyes are tender and your smile is genial your proud grace will not make you unsympathetic.

I do not mean by this that you should carry your head like a vain peacock or puff yourself of that but I tell the just in the firm and straight position which nature designed whether you walk or sit or stand so that you may not look like a bundle but keep your body in its proper position.

By following this advice you will stop or lean with a thousand times more grace and flexibility than a woman who relaxes bends rounds her back from a mere habit of indifference. Nature always punishes us for disobedience to her laws. It is her will that the human race should keep the body which she has sculptured erect with uplifted gaze. If you allow yourself to be drawn down to the earth you will lose the beauty of your form.

Aids to Correspondents

OWING to the great amount of mail received and the limited space given this department it is absolutely impossible to answer all letters in the Sunday issue, except those of the latter must be put in turn and this often requires three or four weeks.

All correspondents who desire an immediate reply must inclose a self-addressed stamped envelope. A reply within this will be considered within regard to personal letters.

To Prevent Sties

Dear Mrs Symes: Will you please tell me some remedy to prevent sties. I have had them all winter. R. A.

A specialist of my acquaintance found one cure for sties and it is a simple one which prevents the cause rather than cures the effect. Take a teaspoonful of brewers yeast each morning until you are troubled with the pests any more. I know of no remedy that may have an unpleasant taste but all I know of are not at all pleasant.

Eyebrows and Eyelashes

Dear Mrs Symes: Please give directions for growing eyebrows and eyelashes. Thank you. Can you tell me of anything that will make them grow? Are there any such things? Please tell me the best way to make them grow. I shall be very thankful if you will send the brick for them. MRS. M. G.

For brushing your eyebrows and eyelashes with vaseline. This will help them to grow in the one direction. I am very sorry that I have no brown stain which you could use for your eyebrows but here is the recipe for a stain which will make your eyelashes black.

Chinese Eyelash Stain

[illegible]

To Increase the Flesh

Dear Mrs Symes: Will you kindly tell me what to take to put on flesh and is it so very bad? I have been very thin and would like to put on some flesh. Will you tell me how to use cod liver oil in the paper. I have a massage for the neck but should it be used before or after it is rubbed on. FORTIA.

To put on flesh take moderate exercise and have your meals served each day at the same hours. Eat abundantly but never to excess. Cod liver oil is simply rubbed on the skin and you wish the flesh to be very soft before rubbing it on. It is not good to be rubbed out but before applying it wash the neck in warm water.

A Remedy for Warts

Dear Mrs Symes: Will you please tell me a remedy for warts. Thanks in advance. A SUBSCRIBER.

Rub the warts three or four times a day with the yared end of a Irish potato. After each application remove a slice of the potato.

Hair in Different Shades

Dear Mrs Symes: Please give a recipe for my hair. I have brown hair and now it is different shades. I would like it to be natural. I am 18 years of age and I want to do with it. L. M. W.

I am very sorry but I cannot give you anything to make your hair uniformly light although you might use soda in the water when you shampoo your head. A pinch of soda will do. It is impossible for a person to make her hair a light color unless she dyes it.

Moles on the Face

Dear Mrs Symes: Can you tell me how to improve my complexion. I have two moles on my face and I would like to remove them. A CONSTANT READER.

It is very risky to tamper with moles for even if you succeed in removing them they are likely to leave scars. My advice to you is to go to some reliable physician and have him remove the blemishes.

Flabby Neck

Dear Mrs Symes: What can I do for a flabby neck? I really am ashamed to wear a low neck dress and as I am still very young I don't want to have an old appearance. Also I find it causes a bad breath when the teeth are in a good condition. D. S. P.

If your neck is so flabby you will improve it by dashing cold water on it night and morning. This will tone up the tissues. Massage it well every night with a massage cream. A good one for this purpose is made up of:

Lanolin	2½ ounces
Spermaceti	6 drams
White vaseline	2½ ounces
Sweet oil	2 ounces
Vegetable oil	2 ounces
Tincture of benzoin	½ dram

Melt the first five ingredients together in a small quantity and concentrate adding the tincture of benzoin. In using this process [illegible] perfume may be [illegible].

Bad breath is not necessarily caused by poor teeth. Dyspepsia is one of the commonest causes. Persons who suffer from sick headache often have this affliction.

Cold Feet

Dear Mrs Symes: What can I do to keep my feet warm? If they will get cold I think I would be more comfortable during the winter weather. W. R. I.

It may be that your blood circulation is poor. Dip your feet first in hot then in cold water and rub vigorously with a rough towel. Cork soles worn inside the shoes will keep the feet warm. As the cork is light no inconvenience of extra weight will be felt.

Tooth Paste

Dear Mrs Symes: Will you kindly give me a recipe for tooth paste and also tell me whether hot or cold water should be used when brushing the teeth? CIRINDA.

Here is the recipe for an excellent tooth paste.

Tooth Paste.

Orris root powder	8 ounces
Myrrh powder	8 ounces
Oil of cloves	[illegible] drams
Oil of lemon	2 drams
Oil of rose	10 drops

Solution of carmine sufficient to color. Honey enough to form a paste.

Tepid water is the best to use both for cleaning the teeth and rinsing the mouth out afterward.

Two Recipes

Dear Mrs Symes: Will you kindly tell me what exercise to take to reduce the waist measure and also give me a recipe for sachet powder? M. C. V.

Following are the two recipes you desire.

To Reduce the Waist Measure

Deep breathing will help to reduce the waist measure and enlarge the bust. The stretching exercises too are splendid as waist reducers. Raise the arms high above the head then folding knees straight try to touch the floor with the finger tips. Stand erect place hands on hips and from waist as far as possible to the right then to the left.

Rose Sachet Powder

Powdered Florentine orris	4 ounces
Rose leaves (air dried)	10 ounces
Musk in flower	10 grains
Lavender flowers	1 ounce.

The original formula calls for civet, but as this preparation is difficult to obtain it would better be omitted.

Mix well and keep closely corked until you wish to use for the sachet.

To Keep the Hands in Good Condition

My Dear Mrs Symes: I do all my housework and therefore have to take care of my hands so that they look decent when I go out. Kindly tell me just what to do to keep them soft and to remove spots. Mrs D. W. C.

Keep at hand a jar of almond meal or even oatmeal and after washing the hands with soap and warm water rub the meal thoroughly over the hands. A cake of pumice stone will take off obstinate spots. If the hands are wrinkled from long in water do long dip them into vinegar before washing them. Dry them carefully on a soft towel and rub in any healing lotion or cream that you find agreeably agrees with your skin.

The Vaucaire Remedy

Dear Mrs Symes: Will you kindly publish again the Vaucaire tonic? I had the prescription but have lost it. Thank you in advance. T. C. P.

The following is the recipe for the Vaucaire tonic.

Dr Vaucaire's Remedy for the Bust.

Liquid extract of galega (goats rue)	3 fl dr
Lactophosphate of lime	14 grains
Tincture of fennel	10 grains
Simple syrup	1½ ounces

The dose is two soupspoonfuls with water before each meal.

Dr Vaucaire also advises the drinking of malt extract during meals.

Society

MRS. CLARENCE A. TANTAU.
—Webster Photo.

MISS EMILIE LANCEL.
—Scharz Photo.

THE second week of the Lenten season is passed and almost before we are aware of it Easter tide, with its beautiful sentiment, will be with us.

As usual at this time of year a number of sewing classes are being formed. These will be continued during Lent, a number of fashionable maids and matrons preferring to spend the penitential season making dainty garments for their pet charities.

The members of the West Oakland Home have inaugurated a sewing bee and will meet next Thursday afternoon at the home, when they will sew on pretty new dresses for the children to wear at Easter. There is much pleasure derived in devoting a portion to some such charity, and it is the rare thing to find a person who does not make some personal sacrifice during the penitential season. There are so many ways in which one can practice a little self denial. Even the youngest child is taught the beauty of unselfishness and their few pennies are laid aside to buy something for some child less fortunate at Easter that the day may be joyous to all.

Following Easter there will be several weddings to interest the smart set. These lenten days are being devoted to the preparing of many dainty trousseaux for the prospective brides.

The women's clubs continue their sessions and splendid programs have been issued by all about the bay. Prospective brides are being entertained and there is the regular routine of card clubs.

Among the hostesses for tomorrow will be Mrs. Lillian Brown Everts, Mrs. William Knowles, and Miss Irene Bangs. Among those who will enjoy Miss Bangs' hospitality are: Mrs. Hiram Hall, Miss Jessie Craig, Miss Letitia Barry, Miss Carolyn Palmanteer, Miss Myrtle Sims and Miss Clarisse Lohse.

ELABORATE AFFAIR.

Mrs I. G. Betts entertained a large number of Palo Alto and out-of-town guests Friday afternoon at a Japanese tea given at her home on Cowper street, Palo Alto. The Japanese idea was carried out most effectively in the decorations, which included large vases of iris, boughs of cherry blossoms and an artistic arrangement of American and Japanese flags, lanterns, fans and Mandarin tapestries. Quite the most unique feature of the entertainment was the tea, which was served by a dainty Japanese maid, the guests being seated on cushions in true Japanese fashion to partake of the refreshments from the low Japanese stools. The costuming of the hostess and her guests also carried out the clever idea. Japanese dancing and a guessing contest were also pleasing features of the afternoon.

Mrs Betts' guests included:

Mrs. Frederick Reed, Mrs C. B. Hobson, Miss Burdette, Mrs Dowe, Mrs. Dorne, Mrs. Charles Dyett, Miss Callaghan, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. C. E. Smith, Mrs Matlock, Mrs. Frank Cory, Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Alberger, Mrs. Duncan, Mrs. John F. Berry, Mrs. C. E. Dwight, Mrs R. G. Guyett, Mrs. James E. Knapp, Mrs A. D. Connelly, Mrs C. E. Haskell, Mrs. Sara Bibby-Brown, Mrs. E. C. Hughes, Mrs Carl Wilson, Mrs John C. Spencer, Mrs. Claude S. Downing, Mrs John A. Gill, Mrs William Eckart, Mrs R. Pieper, Mrs. Chalmers Graham, Mrs S. W. Charles, Mrs Bain, Mrs A. L. Munger, Mrs Alfred Seale, Mrs C. A. Chaquette, Mrs Victor V. Harrier, Mrs Wilson, Mrs C. S. McCowen, Mrs Lloyd M. Place, Mrs G. H. Hardenan, Mrs C. H. Huberich, Mrs L. Huberich, Mrs J. W. Bingham, Mrs William Cranston, Mrs J. J. Morris, Mrs. Allan H. Peek, Mrs. C. E. Carson, Mrs. W. B. Maling, Mrs. W. H. Kelly, Miss Evre, Miss Stafford, Miss Hardeman, Miss Gladys Gill, Miss Fannie Griffith, Miss Antoinette Berry.

SURPRISED CLUB MEMBER.

The members of the Hamilton Whist Club gathered at the residence of Miss Charles Bennett on Thursday afternoon much to the surprise of the lady of the house. During the afternoon the guests presented Mrs Bennett with a handsome cut glass bowl. Whist furnished a pleasant diversion for the afternoon, dainty refreshments rounding out the pleasure of the day. Those present were:

Mrs Walter Edward League, Mrs. Hubert Stout, Mrs. George Jamison, Mrs. Charles Kahler, Mrs. Henry Gotte, Mrs. Ernest S. Muller, Miss Anna M'Leod, Mrs. James C. Jamieson, Mrs Frank Shattuck, Mrs M. J. Smith, Miss M. Hoehn, Mrs. M. Robertson, Mrs. Verne Cramer, Mrs Walter G. Brown, Mrs. E. A. Faraday, Mrs. M. B. Hewlett, Mrs. Charles Bennett.

Mrs Frank Shattuck will entertain the club on March 10 at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Dudley Smith, on East Fourteenth street.

UNIQUE PARTY.

One of the most unique and enjoyable parties of the season was that given by Mrs Chas. H. Kemper, 607 Taylor street, Alameda, Saturday evening, February 27. It was in honor of the Minnesota Club of ladies and their husbands. The guests were to be known as "Famous Couples in History." Each gent was provided a heart-shaped tag bearing the picture and name of the character he was to represent, likewise each lady, whereupon each gent was to seek out his "affinity" and with her enjoy the evening together. The men folks were each given an apron to hem under instructions from their respective partners, and the awkward manner in which they did the work afforded great merriment. The couples were: Gabriel and Evangeline, John Smith and Pocahontas, Hiawatha and Minnehaha, Beauty and Beast, Jack and Jill, Punch and Judy, Enoch Arden and Annie, Darby and Joan, Pyramus and Thisbe, Adam and Eve, John Alden and Priscilla, Romeo and Juliet, Napoleon and Josephine. A necktie holder was awarded the best seamster. There were music and dancing and an elaborate supper, affording all present a most delightful evening.

CLUB MEETING WITH SUCCESS.

The Stewart Orchestral Club, Alexander Stewart conductor, which gave its first concert with such great success in January, is now rehearsing for its second concert, which is to be given either the last of April or the first part of May.

Among the compositions in rehearsal for this concert are Schubert's Symphony in B minor (unfinished), two military marches by the same composer, Walther's prize song from "Die Meistersinger" transcribed by Wilhemj, solo part to be played by four violin soloists with orchestral accompaniment, Massenet's beautiful string orchestral piece, 'La Vierge' with 'cello solo, and Suppe's overture, "Light Cavalry."

The orchestra has received several valuable acquisitions to its active membership since the first concert and it is expected that its full playing strength will average about forty-five players at the next concert.

A large and constantly growing list of associate members shows the deep interest felt by the public in the welfare of this newest among the musical societies of Alameda county.

DANCE FOR EASTERN GUEST.

Mr and Mrs. J. F. Rooney entertained in an original manner Tuesday evening, the affair being arranged in honor of Mr and Mrs Max Schleuter of Chicago. Throughout the rooms the decorations were entirely of vegetables. The centerpiece to the supper table was of carrots, beets, cabbages, celery and lettuce which made a very unique appearance. Mr and Mrs Schleuter left last evening for their home in Chicago having enjoyed a visit of several months in the Bay cities. The guests all wore fancy costumes, dancing furnishing the entertainment for the evening. During her visit Mrs Schleuter has been the inspiration for many delightful affairs. Those present on Tuesday evening were

Mr and Mrs. Max Schleuter, Mr and Mrs Charles Spear, Mr and Mrs P. C. Landregan, Mr and Mrs. James Landregan, Mr and Mrs. Byron Rutley, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Belden, Mr and Mrs. W. A. Wishart, Mr. and Mrs. T. Goodfellow, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garcia, Miss Marie Prole, Mr. and Mrs Fred Hooper, Mr and Mrs. William Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kitchen, Mr. and Mrs Adolph Schleuter, Mr. and Mrs. George Pezet, Mr and Mrs A. Henning, Mr and Mrs Tom Maloney, Mrs Floud, Mrs E. H. Spear, Miss Alice Prole, Miss Elizabeth Floud.

FORM MUSICAL CLUB.

Mrs W. W. Percival entertained her daughter, Dorothy, and several girl friends on Friday afternoon. The little girls organized a musical club, naming it the St Cecelia. They will hold meetings once a month at the homes of the members when a program of instrumental music will be given, the members including only instrumental music in their work. The members are Miss Dorothy Percival, president; Miss Aida Bibbens, treasurer; Miss Maxine Wellman, Miss Marian Derby and Miss Vera Lewis. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Bibbens, in Duncan street, Berkeley.

U'S CLUB ENTERTAINED.

Miss Virginia Perry entertained the members of the U's (vous) Club Tuesday afternoon at her pretty home in Berkeley. An hour of steady work over the sewing bags was followed by an informal musicale, after which the daintiest of refreshments were served. The members of this congenial group of friends are

Miss Blanche Bonham, Miss Irma Starkey, Miss Blanche Legallet, Miss Edna Campbell, Miss Olga Hanlogne, Miss Carmelita Theobald, Miss Pearl Aiken, Miss Lorina Dickey, Miss Valentine Sheda, Miss Clarice Shaw, Miss Virginia Perry.

SUPPER HOSTESS.

Mrs. E. J. Baker was hostess at a prettily appointed supper given at the Forum Cafe last evening to compliment Mr and Mrs. C. Edward Wickham, whose marriage was an event of the new year. The hostess of the evening formerly resided across the bay, but has made her home in Oakland for the past two years, having apartments at the Key Route Hotel. She is exceedingly gracious and has a delightful personality which has won for her a wide circle of sincere friends among Oakland's smart set. Mrs Baker included in her guest list Mr and Mrs C. Edward Wickham, Miss Eleanor Connell, Mr. J. P. W. Max and Mr. and Mrs Lucien J. Langworthy.

PICTURES TODAY.

Mrs Clarence A. Tantau, whose picture appears today, is one of the younger matrons who has a large circle of warm friends. She is very attractive and of a sunny disposition. Mr. and Mrs. Tantau reside with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coddington, at their beautiful home on Pagoda avenue.

Miss Emilie Lancel, whose picture also appears today, is one of the younger set and a very sweet lovable girl. She has the gift of a beautiful voice, which is a source of much pleasure to her many friends.

TO HAVE CLUB ROOMS.

The members of the Prelude Club, an organization of young musicians, vocal and instrumental, are enthusiastic over the prospect of having a club room, where they can hold all o[f] their meetings, with an occasional [ela]borate program when guests may be [a]sked. The plans are not as yet fu[lly] completed but an especially attractive room has been under consideration a[nd] a decision will probably be arrived [u]pon at the next meeting, which will b[e] held at the residence of Miss Agnes P[i]er on Monday, March 15.

STUDIO RECITALS.

Romeo Frick will present his pupils at a couple of song recitals to be given at his studio March 11 and 12. On Thursday evening will be recital for women's voices. A varied program will be presented by the talented pupils of this successful instructor.

The singers for the first evening are: Miss Alice Miller, Miss Lena Peterson, Miss Alma Decker, Miss B... Grave, Miss Vera Bleuel, Miss A. E. Newmann, Miss Edith Hedemark, Mrs Hazel Black, Miss Zelda Cook, Miss Cora Belle Mills, Mrs. G[eo]rge Hagy, Miss L... [...]lnquist, Miss G... [...]elyn Con..., Miss B... [Ev]elyn Luckhardt, Miss I... [...]n Riley, Miss M... [Mar]garet Hutton, Miss A... [...] Graves, Miss L... [...]na Tisch, Miss I... [Ev]elyn Morten, Miss M... [M]amie Kuhn, Miss C... [Ger]trude Brain.

SINGER GUEST OF HONOR.

Mlle Gertrude Tryone, the accomplished vocalist who will sing at the half hour of music at the Greek Theater today will be entertained at dinner by Mr and Mrs E. J. Bartholomew at their pretty home on Thirty-fourth street after the concert. Every Sunday evening Mrs Bartholomew is at home to her friends and one is always sure to hear some excellent music at these informal gatherings. Quite a few of the musicians will be among the guests of the evening, improving the opportunity to meet Mlle Tryone, who has recently come from New York to make her home in California.

INVITATIONAL AFFAIR.

The Players' Club will have an open meeting on Saturday evening, March 20, when Professor Benjamin Kurtz will give a lecture. The affair will be given in the auditorium of the Adelphian, admission by card only. About 250 invitations will be extended to the club members and their friends.

TO VISIT EUROPE.

Mrs Robert Watt, president of the Oakland New Century Club, is leaving on the twenty-second of the month for an extended European trip. During her absence Mrs. C. J. Woodbury, vice-president of the organization, will preside in her place.

PERSONALS.

Fred Snyder is the guest of his brother, Frank Snyder, in Merced.

Miss Mabel Gagan is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. M. Oslo, at Monterey.

T. J. Russell was in Sonora last week.

J. R. Zenn is registered at the St. James, San Luis Obispo.

J. J. Kasparek made a recent visit to Oakdale.

Miss Bessie Cooper is visiting her brother and his family in Spreckels.

Horace Huntsman is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Joel H. Smith, at Selma.

Charles H. Mann and H. A. Kohlmeyer went on motorcycles to San Juan last week.

Mr and Mrs Lawrence Sigmart visited relatives in Placerville last week.

Mrs. Thomas McDermott is visiting her mother, Mrs Blyther, in Benicia.

Miss Teresa Sriedel has returned from a delightful visit with Gilroy relatives.

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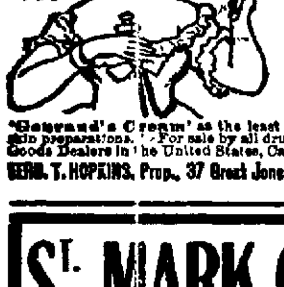

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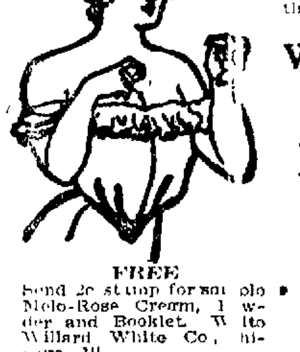

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IT has not been so very long ago since the parade of the band of seventeen women, each wearing yellow sashes, where the laughter of a large crowd who followed them up and down Broadway in New York City. They represented seventeen suffrage clubs, federated into the Interurban Women's Suffrage Council.

Whenever one of this faithful band attempted to speak from the top of a taxicab they were hailed with cat calls and jeers.

This was before the 400 of New York had taken up the subject of woman suffrage, before this same 400 had abandoned for nonce concerts, balls, dinners and hounds to take up the cause of the woman deprived of her vote.

It was in December, 1908, that Mrs. Clarence H. Mackey, who, up to this time, had only been suspected of quietly favoring suffrage, openly announced her allegiance to the cause at a meeting in her house, the result of which was the formation of the Equal Franchise League. She was quickly joined by Mrs. Egerton Winthrop, Mrs. Frederick Nathan, Mrs. Richard Aldrich and the famous belle of Newport, Mrs. Philip Lydig. Quickly were added the names of Mrs. George J. Gould, Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt Jr., Mrs. Foxhall Keene, Miss Caroline Duer, Mrs. Robert Goelet, Mrs. Richard Stevens and Mrs. James Burden.

And from that time until this, society, as designated in the 400, has been a vigorous and potential factor in the securing of votes for women.

In fact, it has become a fad. It is a fad which has eclipsed pale blue teas, pretty little dogs and blue-blooded horses. From the beginning the movement for women's suffrage lacked a leader. In England she was found in the Countess of Warwick, and now American militants have passed up the high brows and secured that pet of society, Mrs. Clarence H. Mackey, as the female Moses to lead them into the promised land of being permitted the franchise accorded to man. Society has not only picked it up as a fad, but the wealthy faddists have opened their pocketbooks and poured their wealth as an offering upon the altar of their ambitions.

Another of the prominent women whose presence and active work in the ranks would indicate a probable success to the movement is Mrs. Paul Morton. To those who know this wonderful woman it is not a surprise that she has forged to the front in this political work. She has always been known as one of the best politicians of the country, and to her more than aything else, aside from his natural abilities, is due the success of her husband, Paul Morton, erstwhile cabinet officer, railroad magnate and leading spirit in one of the largest insurance companies in the world. Mrs. Morton is giving to the movement a practical trend, which it has been sadly in need of since the commencement of this effort upon the part of women.

Mrs. Mackey, who has made society history as a patroness of art dilitant, and as a creator of novel and interesting society fads, has still further surprised her friends by becoming an active stump speaker for women's suffrage. She made her debut at a luncheon of the Interurban Women's Suffrage Council at the Hotel Astor on January 15.

Mrs. Lydig has surprised her intimates by actively forgetting, temporarily at least, her interest in gowns. This creator of styles, who dreamed gowns, wore gowns, wrote gowns and talked gowns, has been known to pass three sucessive afternoons in expounding the gospel of women's suffrage, wearing on each occasion the same gown and never mentioning the subject of toilettes once.

At Mrs. Mackey's first appearance as a public speaker she wore a stunning gown of gold-colored chiffon velvet with a picture hat to match. Her only jewelry consisted of a diamond pendant. Her speech was faultless and the choicest epigram was "the country needs a woman's vote."

At the same affair Mrs. Lydig, who was mentioned before, and who is the famous leader of Newport society, wore a clinging gown of lace embroidered with sequines and a hat such as only she could devise. She, it will be remembered, before her marriage was Miss Rita Hernandez Acosta, and was considered the handsomest debutante in New York. She has always borne the reputation of being the best-dressed woman in America. It was not, however, until after her divorce from W. E. D. Stokes and her marriage to Captain Phil Lydig that she became a favorite in the Astor set.

The two beauties in the movement are Mrs. George J. Gould, wife of the famous millionaire railroad king, and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt Jr. Mrs. Vanderbilt, who has arraigned herself under the suffrage flag, was Miss Virginia Fair, daughter of the late Senator Fair of California. She was then considered one of the handsomest of the heiresses of the country, and as a matron is one of the selected few as representing typical American beauties. The fact of her living trouble with her husband and the persistent rumors of divorce do not, however, interfere with her work for women's suffrage.

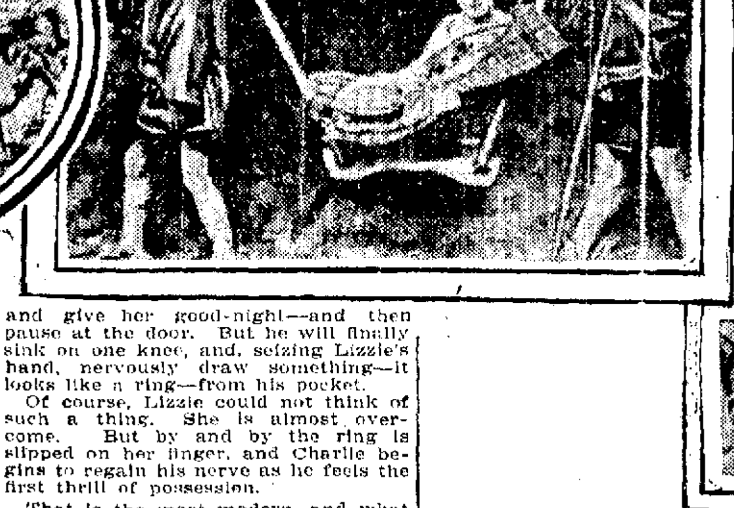
Miss Caroline Duer is probably the only popular fiction writer in New York's exclusive set. The last Mrs. Astor once said that Miss Duer was the only woman who really knew how to write anything at all about society. She is beautiful and witty, and beside this formidable champion who can fight with a powerful pen, the suffragettes have won, it is believed, Miss Helen Brice, daughter of Ambassador Brice, Mrs. Foxhall Keene and Miss Dorothy Whitney, one of the fairest of New York society buds.

Now that the Interurban Women's Suffrage Council has been formed, the members have gone in for the movement with a dash and a slam-bang. Mrs. Harriet Stanton Black, president of the Equality League for Self-Supporting Women, was told that the equal suffrage association was with the movement, so the members of the Equality League took up their work with a new zest. They now parade the East Side with banners, toss balloons into the air reading "Votes for Women," and set megaphones shrieking the same slogan.

There is one thing certain, that where men laughed before they will now sit up and take notice, since the leaders of society's 400 take the stump. These same scoffers will listen.

There is nothing like prestige.

Ways and Ways of Getting a Wife



THAT dashing, old-time custom of winning a wife by riding up on a spirited steed, seizing and riding off with her, may possibly be revived.

That is, if other intrepid lovers take courage by the example of Ernest Hunston, a cowboy, who carried off 15-year-old Freda Bauer from her home at Hesper, Montana, not long since. It was done in true old-time fashion, the lover holding up the girl's father with a revolver and galloping off with the daughter, who was clad in scanty attire.

For that matter, there are many ways of winning a wife, and that of capture is one of the oldest. And if matrimony is pursued by abduction or public sale, while such methods may not be consistent with modern social advancement, it does not lack in elements of the picturesque.

When Charlie calls on Lizzie this evening he may seem slightly nervous and ill at ease. He may twiddle his thumbs and appear distrait when she talks to him. He may stay rather late and grow more nervous at every tick of the clock. He may even rise and give her good-night—and then pause at the door. But he will finally sink on one knee, and, seizing Lizzie's hand, nervously draw something—it looks like a ring—from his pocket.

Of course, Lizzie could not think of such a thing. She is almost overcome. But by and by the ring is slipped on her finger, and Charlie begins to regain his nerve as he feels the first thrill of possession.

That is the most modern, and what may be termed the most polite, way of winning a wife. But in other lands they do it differently.

Now, down in Patagonia let us imagine that Wobbleaggle-Rum lets his gaze rest upon the daughter of his rival chief, Rum-Agglewobble. Beneath the thicket where he lies hidden the whites show in Wobble's rolling eyes. He feels his muscles and clicks his teeth, so that the passing maiden starts, as though she heard the traditional twitter of young love in the neighborhood. Down in his heart Wobble knows that another—perchance many another—woos the hand of the divine one; that her father, the chief, sets eyes upon him with the fondness that thirsts for blood. What is he to do?

It is noon. A strange whistle shrills from the thicket. In less time than it takes to pronounce his name, his captains and tribe have arrived. They mount their horses. And on—on they rush; on—on over the sandy plain after the tribe which bears the ebony Psyche of Patagonia to her father's camp. On—on, through thickets; on—on, until finally they rush among the speared retainers of the maid. A fierce struggle. Warriors fall. And in the melee Wobble seizes his adored by her dusky hair and drags her to his horse.

A few hours later he dismounts the panting steed, while his warriors cheerfully spear the retainers of his adored, and with a gleeful smile pinches the ear of his coy captive.

That is the way they do it in Patagonia.

In Norway courtships are long, prearranged, meditated. Possibly such a deed as the western cowboy carried off—in imitation of the Patagonians—was never heard of. There are all sorts of legal settlements, haggling about dowries before the wedding. Finally the fateful day is at hand. From the humble house of the bride the party winds its way to the fjord, where boats are waiting. Wonderfully arrayed is the bride, with a towering headgear. Over the fjord they are carried. Yonder, against the high crag, looms a church steeple. Now the bells ring, they land and the procession, humble and simple, is led on.

Compare the gentleness and precision of such a marriage with that which prevails in many parts of Russia. There an ancient law is observed which relates to your getting just what you pay for. The more money you have the better wife you get. Brides come from $2.50 to $100 each.

Annual auctions are held in the villages of Gschatsk, Lystcheffka and other places. From all parts of the country 300 or more girls are brought in sleighs. At 9 o'clock some fine morning they are lined up from the cathedral to the city hall. You can have your pick—if you have the cash.

Men pass along and look over the fair offerings. If he is pleased with one, a man is privileged to look at her teeth, knock her chest, feel her arms, run his fingers through her hair. Then he names his price.

The market may last a week. Imagine the "left-overs," if you will. A sorry sight, travelers say. But it is also certain that the bride who is carried away and after her wedding put to work is made to earn her price.

That is how they do it in some parts of Russia.

In Japan you would be certain to find a picturesque way of winning a bride. When he proposes to fair Hyacinth Blossom, the wooer sends to her gifts—jewels, a wonderful obi and shimmering silks for a marriage robe. These are retained if he is accepted.

When the wedding occurs great processions are formed, and the bride is carried to the home of her husband's parents, where they perform a mystical ceremony, drinking wine from the same cup. Two candles touching one another are ignited and the bride remains at the home—a wife.

Wonderful processions mark marriages in Arabia. When a dusky Arab has won a dusky maid he deems it only proper that camels, laden with silks and rich stuffs, go with her to their nuptial tent. Possibly few people celebrate a wedding more hilariously.

Of course, these are all different roads to one ending; one man may sink on his knees with a ring, another may seize the maid at night and carry her off astride a horse. As to the success of any method, it doubtless rests with the happy, or unhappy, suitor.

DANGER FOR SECOND MARRIAGE SEEKERS

NEW YORK, March 6.—According to an opinion handed down by Judge Green of the City Court, a married woman who relies on the promise of a man to marry her providing she obtains a divorce in another State takes a long chance, because if there be a breach of contract the woman will have no redress in court. Judge Green also held that even after a woman obtained a divorce in another State without serving papers on her husband a promise to marry her after she obtained the divorce could be broken with impunity by any man, for there would be no damages.

The case was that of Emily Williams against Herman Igel. Mrs. Williams had been separated from her husband for eleven years when she met Igel. He wooed and finally promised to marry her if she would get a divorce. She went to Rhode Island, and after living there several months obtained a divorce on the ground of desertion. The papers were served on the husband, who was in St. Louis, by publication.

She returned to New York and confronted Igel with the decree. He said he was not quite ready for the ceremony, but would marry her eventually. Then, she says, his love cooled. When she demanded that he keep his promise he refused.

Believing that she ought to be compensated, she sued for breach of promise. A jury brought in a verdict of $1250. Judge Green yesterday set the verdict aside on the ground there never was a valid contract between the parties.

WHERE BIRDS FLOCK FOR THE WINTER

In Bowdoinham is a bird nursery where all through the winter months the apple and cherry trees are filled with bluejays, woodpeckers and others, eight varieties of birds having been seen here this season by Mrs. W. B. Kendall.

In the trees the Kendalls place long strips of suet suspended by wires, and further down in the branches of a cherry tree is a big box fastened securely and always well filled with corn. "We never use cracked corn now," said Mrs. Kendall, "as the English sparrows get it all away from the others. Some days the box is blue with the bluejays. There are two kinds of woodpeckers.

"Morning is the best time to watch the birds, though; they come in great numbers for their breakfast. When it is very cold the Canadian sparrows or winter chippies come down from Canada. Then there are the pine gros beaks—big flocks of them—and that red-headed woodpecker your see swinging away as he hangs to that piece of suet is very tame. I go out and talk to him often and he is never the least bit frightened. Last week thirty birds were here one morning. One chickadee family—father, mother and baby—is very interesting.

"We have the hairy and downy woodpecker, the nut hatches, chickadees, Canadian sparrows and the English sparrows, the bluejays and the pine gros beaks, and sometimes the shriek of butcher bird makes his appearance. The other birds are frightened of him, for he kills when he gets the chance."

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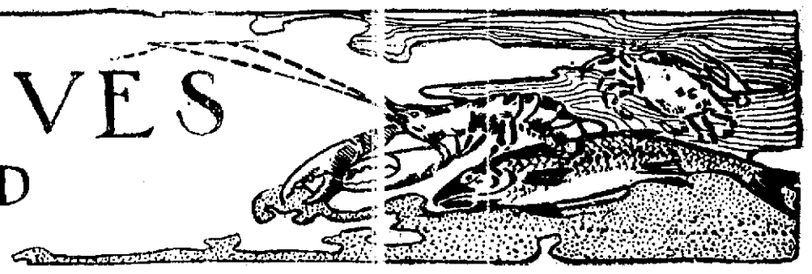

WAYS and WAYS of DOING THINGS

"SHE is quiet and methodical." This was but one clause in the eminently satisfactory certificate given to Serena by her former employer.

One delightful Milesian used to call it "a stiff ticket." I have never been sure that she was far wrong.

The aforesaid employer was "declining housekeeping"—which I believe to be a purely American phrase—and going to a hotel to live. There were but herself and husband "in family," and where was the sense of keeping up a regular household for two old people?

This, likewise, I remark, is a sentiment and expression of American coinage.

But as to Serena, who had applied for the vacant place of waitress and chambermaid in my house. She was warranted willing, honest, neat and obliging. She had lived for fourteen months in these capacities with the writer of the "stiff ticket," who would not give her up now save for the declinature I have named. Yet my eyes returned once and again to the five words I have quoted at the head of this page.

"Quiet and methodical." No other employer with whom I had ever had similar dealings had used the phrase. It impressed me the more favorably that memory instantly conjured up the vision of the last incumbent of the office for which Serena had offered herself. Martha had not been noisy, it is true, but methodical? At the idea I smiled broadly, and raising my eyes from the certificate, I saw the flicker of a responsive, yet a respectful, gleam cross the face of my companion. She could not have divined the source of my amusement, but she saw that I smiled in a friendly fashion and reflected the light. I have bethought myself sometimes that that brief sympathetic flicker was a key to Serena's innermost self. Nothing escapes the eyes that never stare inquisitively, and action follows perception.

A WILLING SOUL

I engaged her on the spot. She has been an inmate of my house now for five years, and in all that time I have not had occasion to reprove her once for negligence or for any fault of manner or speech.

When, one morning last week, she forgot to put the salt on the breakfast table, a chuckle of delight ran around the board.

"The first time we ever caught her napping!" ejaculated a grinning lad.

And another as the maid hastened to repair the omission: "Why, Martha, in all the two years she was with us, never set the table once without forgetting something. Don't you recollect the morning we counted ten articles she had to put in place after we sat down to breakfast?"

The tale was literally true, and she had believed, like a willing and honest soul (for she was that!), that the table was properly laid. From the time she left her bed with the sun and sought it long after the god of day had withdrawn his face from our side of the world, the girl was in a hurry. She swept with quick swirls of the broom that would have left a stream of mare's tails in her wake had she been the old woman that brushed cobwebs from the sky; she scrubbed hard, irregularly and painfully, overlooking a corner here and there in her anxiety "to get through with the job." That was a frequent saying with her. Every task was a "job," and her eyes were always fixed upon another just ahead of her. Details were as nothing in her sight. "Consequentimentally"—as Mrs. Plornish says in "Little Dorritt"—Martha had what the boys called "the best forgettery" upon record in our domestic archives. It was absolutely phenomenal. And strange to say—for the girl, as I have said, meant to do right—the discovery of omissions never abashed her. She rectified them without a blush or murmur of apology. They were all in the day's work.

Why did I keep her for two years? Partly because she was neat in person, quick of apprehension, willing, industrious and honest; partly because, as I shall show presently, her "ways" were so much like those of an immense number of other women. "Method, system, and businesslike" are words which have no place in their working vocabulary. When at last Martha became the wife of a mechanic, and departed to another city, to miskeep a house of her own, we were sorry to part with her personality.

And, up to the last, her desire to perform her duties properly was so apparent that we were lenient in judgment.

Serena talks little in our hearing at any time. When about her work she never speaks except to answer questions. She does not "take life hard." On the contrary, she is uniformly cheerful, and children love to be with her. The secret of her success as a housemaid may be condensed into one sentence: She knows what she means to do, and she thinks of nothing else while she has the task in hand. For the time she is a well-regulated machine, warranted to keep in order and to turn out certain results. Each hour has its appointed duty, and she drives steadily on until the next hour brings the next duty. The observant eyes have a cool brain behind them.

To sum up the case, she runs her housework as a man runs his business. I should not dare assert it were this a fancy sketch.

The world is likely to be turned upside down by the frenzied efforts of "pioneers" in the mission of raising women citizens to the level of men. Without trenching upon the field of controversy, may I say a few direct, plain words to my fellow-housemothers, with regard to what we have actually in hand and not what may or may not be?

BUSINESS METHODS IN THE HOME

To begin with an unpalatable truth: As housekeepers we are, as a rule, unbusinesslike. When men say this we retort that a house cannot be run like a store or shop or office. Sometimes the husbands believe us. Oftener they are silenced, not convinced. The boldest and most compassionate of them dare not attempt to point out the flaws in his spouse's system of daily toil. I would better say, "her lack of system." When I have hinted at the possibility of performing the multifarious tasks incumbent upon wife, mother and caterer, according to rule and measure, I am assured that it is impracticable. I would not attempt to say how many thousand times the hateful adage,

"Man's work is from sun to sun,
But woman's work is never done,"

has been flung at me in the course of arguments upon the vexed subject.

There is no stranger feature in the whole question than that factory girls and clerks after they are married never think of applying to domestic labors the habits of punctuality and precision they learned in their former spheres. Yet the woman who brings energy, will and ingenuity to bear in the resolve to regulate her household by fixed laws, assigning to each hour its task and finishing each before the next is brought forward, finds to her amazement that she secures for herself what the rhyme hints can never be hers, to wit, leisure.

To illustrate, by a return to the true story of my maids, Martha never had "a moment to herself," as she put it. Serena secures an hour in each afternoon for a bath and dressing for the evening, and has five evenings per week on an average in her quiet room for her own sewing and reading.

I know no one better! how many and vexatious and inevitable are the interruptions which are hindrances in the "just one day" of the housemother's life. Our husbands, sons and brothers have the same in number, if not exactly in kind. These are "circumstances" which we are to expect and to conquer. In planning what is to be done today allow for these. As your husband would say, "Leave a margin," or perhaps he will phrase it, "Set it down to profit and loss." But hold fast to your schedule—when you have made it.

Did you ever talk to the manager of a successful hotel? Or ask to be conducted through the kitchen of the same establishment? You will learn much that will set you thinking, and if you will do these things. I did. There is no reason why your house may not be "run" with the like regard for order and punctuality on a miniature scale. I have the pleasure of visiting homes where the experiment has been made, and successfully. Would it not be wise for each "progressive woman" to introduce "business methods" into her own home before essaying to lend a hand in making national, state and township laws? It may be capital practice for what lies before the sex in the future of the country. It should be easier to manage Bridget, Dinah and Thekla than to manipulate their masculine counterparts in primary meetings and at the polls. Lift the reproach of "unbusinesslike ways" from women. Put it out of the power of satirists to ask:

"If thou hast run with footmen and they have wearied thee, then how canst thou contend with horses? and if the land of peace wherein thou trustedst, they wearied thee, then what wilt thou do in the swelling of Jordan?"

Marion Harland

Knotty Breakfast Problems

A YOUNG man of education and breeding, who lives in bachelor chambers with three other "good fellows," confesses that, while the 7 o'clock dinner hour is always full of cheer and good will, the four friends seldom exchange a syllable at the breakfast table beyond a brief salutation at entering the room and a curt "good-day" in separating to their various places of business.

"Thanks to this sensible silence, we have lived together three years without quarreling," he wound up the story by saying: "Every man is a brute until he has had his morning coffee."

Much of this is talk for talk's sake, and some of it is temper. It is not easy for one to get full command of one's self before the relaxed nerves are braced by tea or coffee and the long empty stomach is brought up to concert pitch by food. If we have slept too heavily, we are stupid; if too little, irritable.

I admit that the American's first meal of the crude day, with the accompaniment of the rush for car, or boat, or train, that turns out—or in—dyspeptics by the hundred thousand yearly, is not conducive to domestic happiness or the preservation of table etiquette. The householder, devouring porridge, two cups of scalding coffee, rolls, steak and fried potatoes at discretion, with one eye on the clock and both feet braced for the jump and run he knows are imminent if he would catch the train, is in the first or fortieth stage of what a witty essayist diagnoses as "Americanitis." His children's railroad speed of deglutition and the scurry for school are along the same lines of discomfort and disease.

Upon the mother's hands and head rests the responsibility of "getting them off for the day"—a battle renewed each morning until she "fairly loathes the name and the thought of breakfast."

The remedy for the domestic disgrace—for it is nothing if not that—is so simple that I have little hope it will be respected, much less accepted.

It is, get up fifteen minutes earlier in the morning!

MAKING READY

The plain truth is that your system is not ready for breakfast when you announce that you are. The racer, to whom Scripture compares the smiling God of Day, never takes the first lap at a rush. He warms gradually to his work, having at the outset paid as diligent heed to the "Make ready!" as to the "Go!"

If you rise usually at 7, have the hot water and cleaned boots brought to the door at a quarter before 7 and get up when you are called. A brisk bath and a smart rubbing with a crash towel, preceded by fifty gymnastic strokes, such as arm swinging and general flexing of the muscles; twenty-five deep breaths that pump the morning air down to the bottomest well of your lungs and clear the respiratory passages of effete matter lodged there during the night—these, with a general disposition to speak charitably toward, and to speak civilly to, companions and competitors in the race, correspond to "make ready." Clean, supple and in good heart, come to the table as to preliminary refreshment you have time and appetite to enjoy.

At least seven-tenths of the twaddle over the horrors of the family breakfast are affectation and indolence. Breakfasting in bed is an imported fashion, and, to my notion, is not a clean practice. The tray brought to an unaired room, a tumbled bed and an unwashed body look well in French engravings, but are a solecism in an age of hygienic principles, much ventilation and matutinal baths. The inability to be in charity with one's fellow mortals, to smile genially and to speak gently before the world is well started upon its diurnal swing and the complainant's physical system is toned and tuned and oiled by eating, is degrading in itself. The confession of it is puerile.

Force yourself to speak pleasantly if you cannot at once bring your spirits up to the right level. Study to be a man or a woman, although breakfastless. To be thrown in the first round of the day by the sluggish flesh and the devil of ill-humor, before the world has a chance to grapple with you, is cowardly and sinful.

One word of friendly counsel to my fellow-brain-workers, who are also sister women, may not be amiss in this connection:

Never write or study in the morning until you have broken your fast. A physiologist of note estimates that the drafts on the nervous forces and the eyesight of working on an empty stomach are equivalent to the labor of lifting thirty pounds dead weight.

However this may be, stay that long-suffering organ with a few morsels—a slice of bread and butter, moistened by a cup of tea, if your rising is in advance of that of the rest of the household and you meditate an hour's work before the family breakfast.

THE HOUSEMOTHERS' EXCHANGE

"LEST the mill stop grinding, I send you a grist."

(1) To prevent steam from gathering on your glasses when driving in cold weather: Rub both sides of the lenses with soap; rub off with a soft cloth and polish with tissue paper.

(2) To avoid the collection of steam in a room while cooking a boiled dinner: Set a pan of cold water on the top of the kettle, renewing with cold as it grows warm.

(3) To clean a pancake griddle: Set it on the stove where it will not have to be removed for some time. Put two tablespoonfuls of concentrated lye upon the griddle; add boiling water enough to fill the griddle. Don't let it boil dry. In two or three hours you may scrape the griddle clean with the ring of an old fruit can.

(4) "Mrs. L. E." will find that a rubber cord in the heel of the oiled silk for covering the hat in rainy weather will be more convenient than "string to tie under the chin." It will draw under the brim if short enough. Join the ends together.

(5) To cure soft corns: Soak the feet in warm water and apply an ointment made of tallow and turpentine. Melt the tallow, add an equal quantity of turpentine and beat until cold.

(6) Mustard poultice that will not burn: Mix together equal quantities of mustard, flour and salt; wet with vinegar. There will be no smarting or redness of skin.

NINA (From Highway and Byway).

May the ok mill never stop grinding for the lack of grist of prime quality such as you send. Every item of your letter is sound grain—"good as wheat."

I am personally your debtor for the letter accompanying the contribution pro bono publico. Words like those make the miller's heart to sing for joy.

Uncooked Candy

In answer to "G. E." I have a word to say.

There is an uncooked candy called "fondant," with which I have had gratifying success. It is dainty enough to be called "French," and is made thus: Mix confectioner's sugar (XXXX) with enough beaten white of egg to make a creamy mass that is yet firm enough to be rolled into little balls in the palm of the hand. Flavor with vanilla during the mixing. Flatten the balls by pressing a walnut meat into the top of each. Or the candy balls may be dipped into chocolate prepared as for chocolate drops.

Use the yolks of the eggs with orange or lemon juice for making attractive fruit-drops. Laid upon paraffine paper they soon harden nicely.

L. R. G. (Detroit, Mich.).

A helpful contribution from a new member, who thus earns her card of admission to the Family Circle. Will she make free use of the same, and lend a hand as firm and as kindly as the grasp she gives to her sister housewife?

Condensed Milk in Cooking

In a recent number of the Exchange I saw a request for directions for using condensed milk in cooking. Your reply considered only the use of the sweetened brand. There are several brands of unsweetened condensed milk which are valuable adjuncts to every kitchen, especially when an extra supply of milk is required in a sudden exigency.

In our little town, where milk sells for 10 cents per quart in large or small quantities, I find the condensed milk much cheaper. It may be used for creamed soups, for creamed vegetables, for custards, puddings, sauces, cakes, etc. I make nice cake using no butter, only this condensed milk, slightly diluted. Where ordinary milk would be called for by the recipe I substitute condensed—three parts water to one of milk. In place of cream, I put a little more than half as much water to the milk. It may be used, sweet or sour, in the place of cream in making salad dressing.

I am a constant reader of the Exchange, and having found much help for myself in it, I desire to contribute something for the benefit of my fellow-housemothers.

The names of the brands of unsweetened condensed milk may be a convenience to housekeepers, but I appreciate that you may not think it expedient to publish them.

Mrs. J. R. H. (Carrizozo, New Mexico).

Do you suspect how judicious and how unusual is the consideration for the editor displayed in the concluding sentence of your admirable letter? Hardly a day passes in which I am not solicited to print the credentials of this and that doctor or manufacturer or salesman, and to name for the good of suffering humanity the nostrum that cured a relative or acquaintance of diseases the medical faculty had failed to reach.

You are clear-eyed enough to see that any one or all of these things belong to what is known in the newspaper world as "free ads."

Were I to insert the address of the person who has this and that for sale or the name of the patent medicine lauded by the grateful invalid it would be stricken out by the sharp blue pencil of the proofreader, and should it escape his eyes and slip into print, there would be in the office and out what Uncle Remus taught the slang lovers of our generation to call "fractions." What you tell us of condensed milk is interesting and practical. I have never seen the unsweetened brand, and I am glad to know of it.

Things That Stick

THERE are some homely little rules, not distinctly new and original, but oh, so useful! When the boiling vegetable has caught, don't try to pry it out of the saucepan and take all the burnt taste with it. Let, rather, plunge the outside of the saucepan into cold water a few moments; and when you loosen the vegetables carefully with a spoon the hardened burnt portion will remain in the pan.

When the small cakes in gem pans have done just a moment too long and seem inclined to stick to the pans, try the same plan, only less strenuously. Hold the under sides of these hot little pans against a wet tea towel, and the cakes will loosen at once.

After greasing your cake tins with lard and before pouring in the cake batter dredge the bottom of the tins with flour, shaking out all that does not stick evenly to the lard. Cake batter poured in on this dry flour will rarely stick to the pan after it is baked. Wet the inside of a lined or tin moulds with white of the egg before pouring in gelatine, cranberry or blanc mange, and the hardened dessert will not stick when you are ready to dislodge it.

So many things have a disappointing way of sticking, and the housekeeper without a long memory despairs without these occasional reminders.

FAMILY MEALS FOR A WEEK

SUNDAY

BREAKFAST.

Sliced pineapple, cereal and cream, fried scallops, poppovers, toast, tea and coffee.

LUNCHEON.

Oysters roasted on the half-shell, tomato toast (baked), thin brown bread and butter, grapefruit and banana salad, crackers and cheese, French tapioca custard, cake, tea.

DINNER.

Mulligatawny soup, roast chickens, rice croquettes, stewed chestnuts, mince pie, black coffee.

MONDAY

BREAKFAST.

Oranges, oatmeal jelly and cream, bacon and eggs, fried bread, toast, tea, coffee.

LUNCHEON.

Broiled ham, stuffed potatoes, bread and butter, watercress salad, cream cheese, toasted crackers and orange marmalade, cocoa.

DINNER.

Yesterday's soup, chicken and mushroom ragout (a left-over), mashed potatoes, spinach, cream puffs and jelly, black coffee.

TUESDAY

BREAKFAST.

Baked apples with cereal and cream, bacon, graham bread and white toast, pulled bread, tea and coffee.

LUNCHEON.

Ham omelet (the ham a left-over), baked sweet potatoes, bread and butter, toasted crumpets, cookies and canned fruit (home-made) with cream, tea.

DINNER.

Chicken and rice soup (based upon carcass of chicken), lamb's liver en casserole, souffle of spinach (a left-over), mashed turnips, apple pie and cheese, black coffee.

WEDNESDAY

BREAKFAST.

Oranges, wheaten grits and cream, fish-cakes, corn bread, toast, tea and coffee.

LUNCHEON.

Scalloped oysters, anchovy toast, potato salad, crackers and American cheese, hot gingerbread and cocoa.

DINNER.

Cream of celery soup (without meat), boiled cod with anchovy sauce, mashed potatoes, stewed tomatoes, cracker and date pudding, black coffee.

THURSDAY

BREAKFAST.

Oranges, cereal and cream, bacon and fried mush, toast, tea and coffee.

LUNCHEON.

Baked calf's liver, tea biscuits, lettuce and celery salad, crackers and cheese, yesterday's pudding (steamed), tea.

DINNER.

Scotch broth, beefsteak, onions, brussels sprouts, chocolate custard and cake, black coffee.

FRIDAY

BREAKFAST.

Grapefruit, hominy and cream, fried smelts, stewed potatoes, toast, tea and coffee.

LUNCHEON.

Scallop of cod and mashed potatoes (a left-over), quick biscuits, apple and celery salad, crackers and cheese, crullers and cocoa.

DINNER.

Tomato bisque (a left-over), halibut steaks, curried macaroni with butter sauce, souffle of onions (a left-over), brown betty, black coffee.

SATURDAY

BREAKFAST.

Oranges, cereal and cream, sausages, graham gems, toast, tea and coffee.

LUNCHEON.

Fricasseed eggs, yesterday's macaroni (baked), potatoes, boiled pluis and served with butter and parsley sauce, bread pudding, tea.

DINNER.

Potato puree, breaded veal cutlets, whipped and browned potatoes, scalloped tomatoes, floating island, black coffee.

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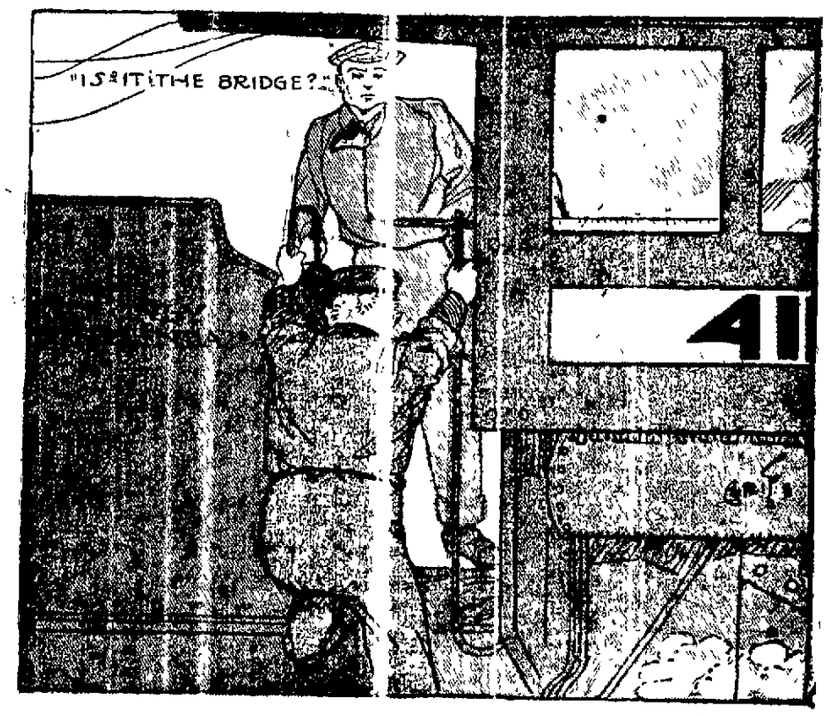
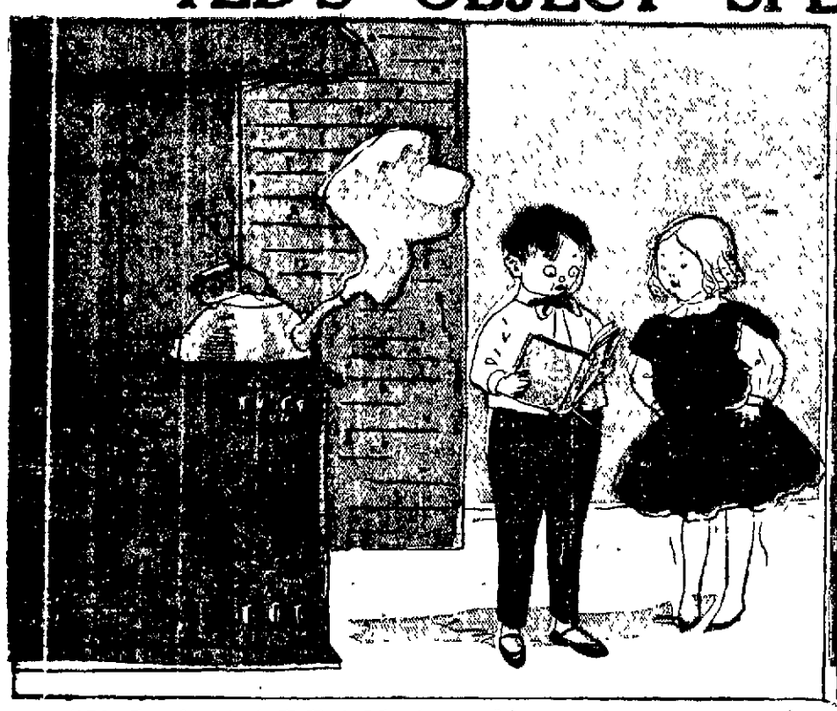


TED'S OBJECT SPELLING LESSON---S-T-E-A-M AND F-L-O-U-R



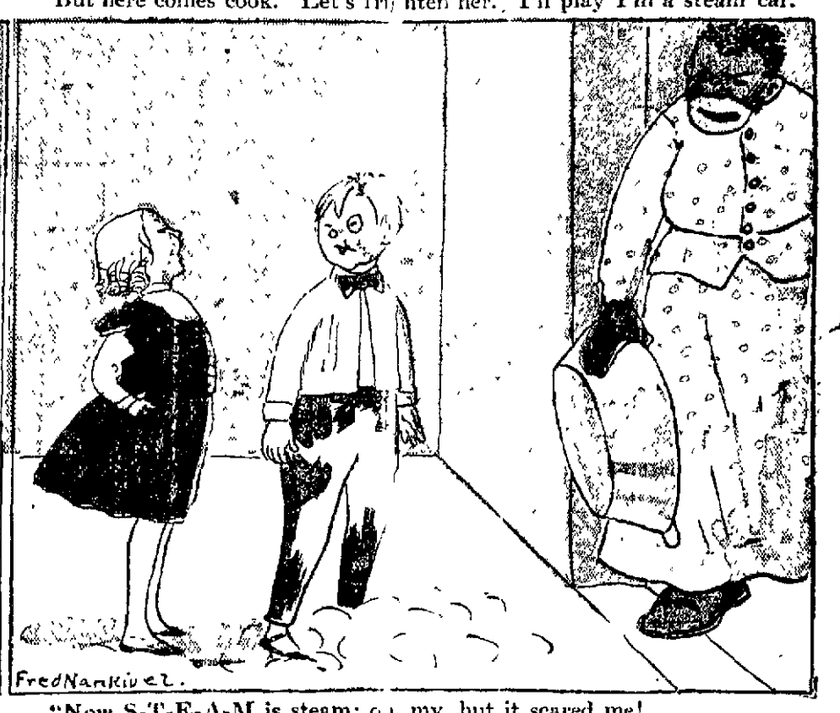
"Oh, Sue, look! S-T-E-A-M, the word is not so long.
But I'm afraid to pronounce it, for fear I will be wrong.

"Oh, dear, oh! oh! That word spells steam. My goodness, Sue, just look!
It burned me on the face, it did, and made me drop my book.

"Oh, here's another queer word Sue; it's F-L-O-U-R.
But here comes cook. Let's frighten her. I'll play I'm a steam car.

"Toot! Toot! Ding dong! Look out there, cook, or I'll run over you!"
"Good lan' a massy, Master Ted, now what you tryin' to do?

"Thar now, yo' see, yo' scallawag, yo' spilled mah flour, yo' did.
Foh two cents I would shake yo' good; yo's most an awful kid."



"Now S-T-E-A-M is steam; oh, my, but it scared me!
And F-L-O-U-R is flour. I'm covered with it, see!"

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ONCE PENNILESS FUGITIVE AND DISGRACED, SENATOR RETURNS FROM EXILE WITH RICHES

400,000 RAILWAY MEN IDLE AT A DAILY LOSS OF $1,000,000, SAYS SHONTS

NEW YORK, March 6.—"Fifteen months ago there were 1,675,000 railroad employes in active service, and they received nearly $1,110,000,000 in wages during the year. Fully one-quarter of these men are now idle, at a loss of wages approximating a million dollars a day."

Theodore P. Shonts, soldierly in "set-up," quick in movement, terse of speech thus opened his discussion with a reporter of the question put to him: "What is the matter with the country?"

In addition to the greater responsibility entailed by the presidency of the Interborough-Metropolitan Railroad Company of New York, Shonts is president of the Chicago & Alton and the Clover Leaf railroads. He has studied profoundly that complex business and its relations to the industrial peace and progress of the country as have few men of the time. He declares that it has progressed from a mere commercial enterprise to a science, demanding skill of the highest order for its proper management.

THEODORE SHONTS.

Great Losses

"A little over a year ago the railroads were spending $1,200,000,000 for supplies; now they spending not more than $500,000,000, and it is impossible accurately to state the number of men in forests, mines and factories who have been thrown out of employment by the shrinkage in the demand for railroad equipment and supplies, but it is safe to say that they are numbered by the tens of thousands."

Shonts thinks that quite as large a number of men are employed in working on the materials needed by the railroads as are on the pay-rolls of those corporations.

Blames Government

"What is it that has taken the heart out of railroad managers—that has chilled their laudable ambitions, that has frightened away our financial support, that has shadowed our horizon on every side, that has made us cease to act and only to wait?

"The answer is clear—it is the fear of the Government operations of the railroads through commissions, who have no financial responsibility, which has produced these results.

"I think every intelligent business man understands that there can be no return of prosperity that will stay with us until the railroads are fairly treated."

Laws Go Too Far

Shonts would not have it understood that he is opposed to supervision or regulation by commission. Upon this point he said:

"I think the welfare of the country and the welfare of the railroads demand the existence of commissions; that they should be clothed with powers sufficiently broad to enable them effectually to protect the public interests. But the great danger lies in those sections of the laws which go beyond the point of regulation and place the physical operation of railroads in the hands of men who, however honest and high-minded they may be, are wholly lacking in the training and experience that such authority demands."

Shonts continued:

"Now, what will happen? If the Interstate Commerce Commission holds to its attitude in the Atlantic Seaboard to Kansas City rates controversy, and the Missouri stands on its rights, the result will inevitably be that every line east of the Missouri river will be forced into bankruptcy, and in the last analysis the rates of these cities will be relatively where they are today, because they are now based on geographical and commercial conditions, which always have and always will control and prescribe freight rates."

Like other railway magnates who have discussed this subject, Shonts does not deny that wrongs, some of them grievous, have been committed by railroad corporations.

Many Wrongs

"I am no mincer of words," he said on this point. "There have been too many moral wrongs that were legal rights, but the old doctrine of an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth is poor business policy. What we want now is honest and fair dealing on both sides of this question.

"I am perfectly sincere when I tell you that, in my opinion, there can be no continued prosperity in any part of the country if the transportation interests are unfairly treated.

"Political pigmies, when in power, can easily legislate money out of a corporation, but the political giants of all the ages could not legislate money into corporations.

No New Tracks

"Without capital the railroads cannot make the extensions and improvements that are demanded, and that must be

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Soldiers Used to End Court Riot

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 6.—A serious riot occurred today in the lobbies of the criminal court between supporters and opponents of Nedjib Pasha, who is on trial for torturing Armenian prisoners. The lobbies were cleared by troops with the butt ends of their rifles.

JAIL FOR STOCK MANIPULATORS

Gov. Hughes' Commission So Told N. Y. Stock Exchange Officials

NEW YORK, March 6.—Jail is the proper punishment for stock market manipulators, it was suggested to the officers of the New York Stock Exchange today by the commission appointed by Governor Hughes to investigate Wall street. It was the first time anything so radical had been hinted at and high financiers, who had heretofore regarded the investigating commission as the personification of safety, sanity and conservativeness, were shocked accordingly. The officers of the exchange to whom the suggestion was made were, however, prompt to combat it.

"They told us" said Horace White, the official spokesman of the commission "*that they would be glad to do anything* that was feasible to remedy the evil, but that they did not want to do anything they knew would disarrange business and effect more harm than good. I am bound to say we agreed with them on that, and the result was that after two hours of debate neither side could offer any plan to which both could agree."

The commission is without power to subpoena witnesses or compel them to talk when they appear voluntarily. For that reason James R. Keene, undisputably the king of modern manipulators, has ignored the request of the commission to come before it and tell how he manipulated the market in United States Steel stock and enabled J. P. Morgan and other insiders to unload their common stock received free, on the public at about $50 a share, a price it did not touch again for years.

President Thomas of the exchange, Secretary Ely and members of the governing committee, appeared before the commission.

Blanche Walsh Still Ill From Poisoning

CHICAGO, March 6.—Miss Blanche Walsh, who was poisoned in Kansas City recently by cosmetics, arrived at the Stratford Hotel today, on her way to her home at Woods Hole, Mass. She was assisted from her carriage at the hotel and, wrapped in cloaks, was carried to her apartments. Her physician said she was recovering, but was still weak.

Cooper Trial to Go to Jury Soon

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 6.—Both sides offered their last morsels of testimony to the jury in the Cooper murder trial this morning, and Monday morning the closing arguments will begin. It is expected that the case will go to the jury not later than Thursday of next week.

ACCUSES WOMAN OF STEALING HIS WIFE

Actor Brings Suit Asking Damages in the Sum of $50,000

ARRESTED AS STEAMER STARTS FOR EUROPE

Mrs. E. M. Clarey of Considerable Wealth Is Charged by William Stuart

NEW YORK, March 6.—Letters of a strange character from the exhibits attached to the complaint and affidavit of William Stuart, an actor, in his suit against Ethel Murtha Clarey, a woman of considerable fortune, who was arrested on an order signed by Justice Fitzgerald today as she and Mrs. Anna Hollinger Stuart were about to sail for London on the Minnehaha, Stuart demands $50,000 damages from Mrs. Clarey for alienation of his wife's affections.

He got the order for arrest on learning that she had engaged passage for herself and Mrs. Stuart. A deputy sheriff had trouble in getting his prisoner ashore. She gave $2000 bail in cash and was discharged, but the Minnehaha had sailed.

Stuart says he married Anna Hollinger on August 26, 1903, and that they lived happily until they met Mrs. Clarey in April, 1907. Mrs. Stuart is an actress and the couple played and saved money until Mrs. Clarey came on the scene and became acquainted with his wife in October, 1907.

Poisoned Wife's Mind

He charges that Mrs. Clarey poisoned his wife's mind and "so destroyed her sense of right and wrong and of whatever was fitting and proper; that Mrs. Stuart came under the wrongful, malicious and wicked influence and advice of the defendant and submitted to her advances, and fell under her influence so far as to submit to her wishes and be constantly in the company of the defendant, asleep and awake."

Stuart alleges that his wife transferred all her love and affection to Mrs. Clarey and does not intend to be a wife to him any more, "to his great shame and humiliation." He adds that Mrs. Clarey enticed Mrs. Stuart from him and harbored and concealed her against his consent and was about to take her to Europe.

To Ask Taft to Cut Out Wine

WASHINGTON, March 6.—It is announced that Pittsburg and Cleveland are going to send delegations of White Ribbon temperance advocates to Washington next week, to ask Mr. Taft not to serve wine at White House dinners.

It may save them the trouble of a fruitless journey to tell them that the question has already been irrevocably settled by Mr. and Mrs. Taft. The President never takes wine or spirits of any kind. He has not always been a total abstainer, and it is not from principle, but from choice and from habit.

But there are many persons in Washington, especially among the diplomatic corps, to whom a dinner without wine would be like tea or coffee without a doughnut or bread and butter to the average American, and Mr. Taft has decided not to force his own habits of abstinence upon guests at the White House.

Bold Highwayman's Daylight Theft

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—Walking coolly into the office of Mark C. Moore, manager of the Bon Air Apartments at Stanyan and Oak streets, about 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, a young, well-dressed man covered Moore with a revolver, went through his pockets, took $700 in gold and currency away from him and then left the house as deliberately as he had entered, disappearing nonchalantly into the shrubbery of the park, directly across the street. Though Moore gave the alarm at once and within five minutes had a half dozen policemen scurrying through the park paths in every direction, the bold thief made his escape.

An excellent description was obtained of him, and several detectives were searching for him all over the city tonight.

Embezzler Begs For His Sentence

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—Frederick Tetsall, formerly bookkeeper for Rosenthals, Inc., who confessed to embezzling $3000 of his employer's money and pleaded guilty last week before Judge Dunne, wants to be sentenced, and is begging for the punishment which he thinks is his due.

Attorney Neal Power appeared today before Judge Cabaniss, who presided in Judge Dunne's department, and asked that the case be continued to some date when his client would be sentenced.

"We have witnesses here to testify to the defendant's former good character. What we want most of all is the imposition of the sentence. My client is anxious to have it over with."

Washington Society Looks for Unusually Gay Season in Social Life at the Capital

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WASHINGTON, March 6.—In the leadership of Mrs. Philander C. Knox, wife of Secretary of State Knox, the new ladies of the Cabinet are promised a season which will start with a whirl equal to the best of those of New York's most exclusive set, one which will last through the entire four years of the Cabinet's service and end in a blaze of splendor, greater, if possible than with which it started—the inauguration ball.

Mrs. Knox has received her training in New York, the best of schools, where she has been one of the foremost of the society matrons.

Knows the Society

Furthermore, Washington society is nothing new to Mrs. Knox, who has spent many years as a member of the exclusive set while her husband served as Senator.

Mrs. Franklin MacVeagh, wife of the new Secretary of the Treasury, who will stand next to Mrs. Knox, will also find nothing new in Washington society, having made its acquaintance during her frequent trips to the home of her brother-in-law, Vane MacVeagh, in Massachusetts avenue. She will prove an able assistant to the leader in arranging the brilliant affairs.

Before her marriage Mrs. MacVeagh was Miss Emily Eames of New England, and Eames MacVeagh, son of the house, bears the family name. The MacVeagh's summer home in New England, Knollwood, at Dublin, N. H., has often been visited by Washington residents.

Addition to Smart Set

A valuable addition to the Washington official smart set is Mrs. George Wickersham, wife of the newly appointed Attorney-General. Mrs. Wickersham is a daughter of Mr. Cornelius Wendell of Albany. Her father is dead. The widow of the late Lieutenant-Colonel Taylor, U. S. A., is her sister, and is living at Poughkeepsie. Mr. and Mrs. Wickersham have a daughter married to Albert Aiken of New York, who owns a plantation in Cuba. They also have a son who will be graduated at Har-

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J. P. Morgan Pays $19,000 for Relic

VIENNA, March 6.—An agent acting for J. P. Morgan bought at a sale here a few days ago the famous black book of the Revelations of St. John, paying $19,000 for the historic relic. It belonged to the late Professor Schreiber, whose library was sold by auction.

The old volume is not of any considerable size, having only forty-one leaves. It is dated 1440, and its pages are mellowed with age. The book is the first edition, colored by contemporary artists.

Robert Collier to Entertain Roosevelt

NEW YORK, March 6.—Theodore Roosevelt will be the principal guest at an informal breakfast at the home of Robert J. Collier in Park avenue, this city, on Saturday morning next. Thirty others will be present, and they are men prominently identified with magazine work. Among the more prominent guests beside Mr. Roosevelt will be William Dean Howells, Albert Shaw, Richard Watson Gilder, Walter H. Page and Rev. Father John J. Wynne, editor of the New Catholic Review of America.

BALDWIN HEIRS SATISFIED, IS CLAIM

Laughs at Sharpe's Claims That He Is Mrs. Selby's Grandfather

M'CLAUGHRY SMILES AT HIS PRETENSIONS

Son-in-Law of Turfman Declares There Will Be No Contest Over Estate

That there will be no contest over the millions left by the late "Lucky" Baldwin is the firm opinion of Hull McClaughry, husband of Anita Baldwin McClaughry, daughter of the dead capitalist and heiress of $12,000,000 of his estate. McClaughry is inclined to smile at the pretentions of Abraham Sharpe to being the grandfather of Mrs. Rozetta Baldwin Selby of this city, Baldwin's third daughter, who was substantially remembered in his will. McClaughry does not, however, discuss Sharpe's claims.

"Nothing has been said as to a possible contest," said McClaughry yesterday, "and I am convinced there will be no contest, as all the heirs appear satisfied."

"Have you had any conversation with Mrs. Selby or her relatives?" he was asked.

"Not a word," he replied.

McClaughry said his wife, who was overcome at the funeral Thursday and who suffered from collapse Thursday night from her grief and the strain of the trying days of her father's last illness, had almost completely recovered. McClaughry has returned to his duties as assistant postmaster in San Francisco and was at his office al yesterday.

Dickinson Favors A Larger Navy

CHICAGO, March 6.—In the gold room at the Auditorium Hotel here tonight, Jacob M. Dickinson, newly appointed Secretary of War, was tendered a notable banquet by eighty members of the executive staff of the Illinois Central Railroad Company from which company Mr. Dickinson retires as general counsel. Following an earlier declaration that he is in favor of a large American navy, Secretary Dickinson tonight plainly intimated that Japan nor any other country could not wrest the Philippine Islands from us, admitting, however, that the time may come when this country would wish to dispose of these possessions.

14 Killed in Alps In an Avalanche

ROME, March 6.—A record-breaking snowfall is reported in Northern Italy. The snow in many places is lying six feet deep on the ground. An avalanche at Predit overwhelmed fourteen persons. Many other deaths are reported in the Italian Alps.

WIFE'S PLEA IS USELESS; HE ENDS LIFE

Despondent Decorator Hangs Himself, Leaving Woman and Five Babes

OUT OF WORK GIVES UP UNEQUAL FIGHT

Found in Cellar and All Efforts to Revive Him End in Failure

LOS ANGELES, March 6.—Driven to despondency because he was out of work and could not support his wife and five little children he did what they want, Lewis Newman, aged 40, a window decorator by occupation living at 735 East Eighty-eighth street, committed suicide by hanging himself to his room door today.

The tragedy followed several days of unsuccessful effort to obtain work. Discheartened over his ill-luck, he told his wife yesterday that if he did not obtain a position by nightfall he would end it all. She pleaded with him pointing out the folly of giving up the unequal struggle at this time.

Today she found him hanging by a stout cord, one end of which was attached to the knob on the door of his room while the other was made into a noose about his neck. Rushing toward him, she cut him down, and with the assistance of neighbors endeavored to revive him, but he was already dead.

Western Pacific Sued for $100,000

NEW YORK, March 6.—Suit for $100,000 has been brought against George J. Gould and his fellow directors of the Western Pacific railway by Col. Charles F. Smith of Montreal, who claims that sum for having procured purchasers for a bond issue of the company of $50,000,000 on a commission basis of 2½ per cent.

The defendants have asked that service in the suit be vacated on the ground that the railway company is a California corporation. The question of jurisdiction has been set for argument in the Supreme Court on Thursday morning next.

Troops Arrest 140 University Men

WARSAW, March 6.—Troops today broke up an unauthorized meeting of 300 university students who were discussing the new examination system. The students had disobeyed the president's order to withdraw, whereupon a battalion of infantry was telephoned for. The troops arrested 140 students.

ELI WRIGHT IS BACK FROM WANDERING

Made Money in Southern Republics While He Was Man Without a Country

WIFE KEPT IN TOUCH WITH HIM CONSTANTLY

Declares He Is Innocent of Crime Which Caused Him to Flee From State

SAN JOSE, March 6.—Looking not a day older than when he left four years ago, a fugitive from justice, Eli Wright, disgraced State Senator and once prominent attorney of this city, returned to his home here today a free man. In all the time he evaded the officers of the law, Wright never set foot upon United States soil, but traveled alone through every state of Central and South America, a stranger in strange lands. He left here with only his railroad fare to New Orleans. Today he returned a wealthy man.

In 1904 Eli Wright was elected to the State Senate from this district after he had served two terms in the Assembly. During the early part of the session of the Legislature in 1905, Wright, with Senators Emmons, Bunkers and French, was caught, through the use of marked money, accepting bribes from the Continental Building and Loan Association, a corporation at that time under investigation. He was expelled with his colleagues from the Senate and indictments brought against him by the Grand Jury of Sacramento county.

Sells Home and Leaves

To the charge of accepting a bribe Wright pleaded not guilty, before Superior Judge Hughes, and was released from custody on $5000 bonds. Wright fought the charge against him until all his money and property, excepting a small home near this city, was gone. With conviction seemingly to him inevitable, Wright sold his home here and with the money paid the bondsmen, and on the evening of October 19, 1906, he took a train from this city and was never again heard from.

His family was reduced to poverty. His wife and babies suffered for the want of the necessities of life, and through sympathy, Attorney E. L. Rhodes, of this city, secured a petition signed by most of the prominent business men of San Jose, asking that the indictment against the boodling Senator be dismissed. The matter was brought to the attention of District Attorney Wachorst of Sacramento, who at first paid no attention to the petition. A second petition was sent to the Capital City, with the result that the indictment was dismissed.

Kept in Touch

During all the time Wright was a fugitive from justice he kept in communication with his wife, and the two had agreed upon a word to be cabled to him if the outcome was favorable. That word was "Come," and meant "you are a free man."

This afternoon in the modest little sitting room of his wife's home on Otterson and San Fernando streets, Wright told a reporter of his travels and experiences after leaving San Jose under the cover of darkness four years ago.

"First of all I want to say," volunteered the one-time fugitive, "that I am glad, oh, how glad, to be back in California and take a free breath of air. Home—"

Wright stopped, stretched and surveyed the little dwelling and then continued:

"Home! Nobody knows what that means but a man who has been away with only a word at intervals from his dear ones."

Takes Children Out

For a time Wright's mind seemed blank. He did not want to be disturbed. It was the first hour he had spent with his family for four years. His children, then mere babes, had grown and now are in the full bloom of youth. They stood by their father's chair and he was unable to speak. He excused himself and took the children from the room and when he returned he was more willing to talk of his travels.

From this city Wright said he went to New Orleans to remain there but a few days when he continued to Mobile. For

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Two Sprees a Year Is No Cause For Divorce, Rules the Court

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—Two "sprees" in a year is not sufficient ground for a divorce, according to a ruling today by Superior Judge Graham. The Judge emphatically laid down the rule that a man can become intoxicated twice in a twelve-month without supplying his wife grounds for a decree on the allegation of cruelty.

Mrs. Nellie Bledsoe, wife of Samuel Bledsoe, an engineer, sued for divorce on the ground of cruelty. Bledsoe filed a cross-complain setting up that James Markly, a contractor, "and his automobile" were the cause of all the trouble. He admitted he had been drunk twice in a year.

Judge Graham rendered a decision denying a decree to either litigant.

Congressmen Lack Brains; Just Good Listeners, He Says

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Former Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw has given out an interview in which he has thrown a few bricks at the members of Congress. He says Congressmen these days are not necessarily men of "great brilliancy or of an unusual amount of brains."

"They are altogether different from what they used to be, or from what our forefathers expected them to be," he said. In another kindly observation he adds that all a Congressman has to do these days is to be a good listener at the telephone. If he has the temerity to originate any ideas, Mr. Shaw says, he is doomed.

Fat Reducing Extaordinary.

Margaret Knolly

SLENDER Margaret Knolly, now, if you please. The fascinating leading lady of the Bijou, now more fascinating than ever, astonished all her friends on Broadway the other day by presenting to their admiring gaze a svelt and willowy form in place of the plump, not to say fat, outlines with which she gaily sailed away to new triumphs and foreign shores last January. After a good deal of diplomatic cross-examination from interested fat acquaintances the secret was cautiously whispered to a few dear friends, with the result that everybody knows it now. It was not exercise, nor fasting, nor sea air, nor worry about her new venture that had brought about this wonderful willowy change in the charming Margaret; no, none of these; nothing but a simple mixture which all good druggists are familiar with and can supply at small cost, to-wit: One half ounce Marmola, one-half ounce Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic, and three and one-half ounces Peppermint Water. "Grown folks need a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime," explained the new slender Margaret. "It is simply wonderful. It takes off the fat quickly, as much as a pound a day, and keeps it off. You can eat what you like, too. In that respect it is unlike anything of the kind I ever heard of, and besides it has another splendid feature—it is entirely harmless, and will not cause wrinkles. I think it is about as essential a toilet article for the woman who is fat and wants to get thinner as face powder. In order to get the best results, however, you should buy the Marmola in the original package and mix it in with the other two ingredients after you get home."

FINDS A $200 PEARL IN HIS 13TH OYSTER

ATLANTIC CITY, March 6.—Forced by jibes of friends to eat thirteen oysters, which he refused at first to accept because he believed the number unlucky, Edward S. Conover, of this city, found a pearl in the thirteenth which, he says, a local jeweler has valued at $200. Conover has changed his mind about the number hoodoo.

Conover was up the bay on a gunning trip. The hunters, one of them his father, were eating oysters when the young man noticed that he had been served with thirteen. He protested. The others laughed at him, but Conover says he is laughing last.

MUTT

Will be out of a job when the races are over and the chances are you may see him at work at H. SCHELLHAAS' FURNITURE SALE this week. ELEVENTH AND FRANKLIN STS.

400,000 RAILWAY MEN ARE IDLE

Theodore Shonts Blames Government for Lack of Employment

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made if the return of prosperity is not to be long delayed. Not a mile of new track is being laid now, nor is any equipment being purchased that is not absolutely essential to the pressing needs of the road. Improvements involving hundreds of millions have been abandoned because of the vengeful spirit that has temporarily possessed the minds of men whose duty it is to carefully consider proposed legislation."

In harmony with the announcement made a few days ago that President Taft would recommend to Congress the exemption of the railroads from the Sherman anti-trust law in order that they may be empowered to make joint rates and enter into pooling arrangements subject to the approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Shonts said:

"The solution of the problem of continuing railroad development and creating additional facilities which should now be under construction rests in giving the railroads a square deal. One way to do this is to prohibit rigidly by law all rate discrimination, at the same time giving the railroads full and complete authority to fix their own rates, subject to review by the appropriate tribunal. Under this sort of arrangement the roads would obtain, when conditions were normal, fair returns on the investments.

"The greatest desideratum, however, is to give the roads the right under proper regulation to operate their own properties. This is all that is needed, but it is absolutely essential."

WILL PUT CHURCHES IN PRIVATE HOUSES

NEW YORK, March 6.—The Seabury Society of the Episcopal Church, formed to carry on work suggested by the late Bishop Henry C. Potter and Bishop Greer, and whose aim is to induce the church laity to take a more vital interest in church work here, has a plan for establishing churches in private houses throughout the city as a means of reaching persons who don't attend services in the regular church edifices.

At a meeting in Christ Episcopal Church, this plan was explained by John A. Ely and Eugene M. Camp, two of the society's trustees.

This plan of using parts of dwellings as churches in a systematic way is new here, but it has been tried by the Catholic Church in European cities. The new type of church plant is a private house, either rented or built for the purpose, with the first-floor front arranged as a chapel, so that the room may also be used at times for social purposes and for classes.

The upper part of the house is rented for dwelling purposes, and the rent from this, with what those who attend services contribute, is sufficient to maintain each church plant.

Advocates of the plan who have watched the operation of it in European cities contend that it is the small church and not the big one in proportion that reaches the people.

Descendant of Discoverer of Brazil Is Dead

DR. J. S. A. CABRAL.

After a short illness, brought on by a clot of blood on his brain, Dr. Alvares Cabral, 46 years old, a practicing physician of Centerville, and a member of the Board of Health of Alameda county, passed away Thursday night at the Hahnemann Hospital, San Francisco.

Dr. Cabral is survived by a widow and six children. He was the member of one of the oldest and noblest families of Portugal, and a cousin of the Baron of Santa Ana, former Minister to the United States from Portugal. He was a direct descendant of Pedro Alvares Cabral, the great navigator and discoverer of Brazil.

The decedent was a thirty-third degree Mason and former Supreme Medical Examiner of the U. P. C. and I. D. E. S. Society of this State.

ELI WRIGHT IS BACK

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several days he says he loitered around the water front of Mobile, and at the first opportunity he shipped as second mate on a banana steamer bound for Port of Cortez, Honduras. His travels from Port of Cortez by to Tegucigalpa, capital of Honduras, where there is supposed to be a colony of American fugitives.

Fugitives Not There

"I remained at Tegucigalpa for nine months," said Wright. "The people of this country have an erroneous idea that that town is the center for the fugitives from the United States. That is not so. At least I did not find it so. There are not more than five American people in Tegucigalpa, and Dr. Gilbert of San Jose, who is deputy United States Consul at that place, can verify the statement."

"While at Tegucigalpa or upon any of your travels through the countries of Central and South America did you see R. Brent Mitchell and William Grover of San Francisco?" Wright was asked.

Mitchell was a stock broker of the metropolis who left after having defaulted with almost $100,000, and Grover was an attorney who is charged with embezzling $5000.

He Wont Tell

"I might have seen Bob Mitchell and also Bill Grover," replied Wright, "but if I did I wouldn't tell anyone about it. If I saw them I am not going to tell where they are."

"A great number of fugitives go to Honduras, but they keep away from the towns," said Wright. "Americans are numerous and the banana plantations of Honduras, and most of them have positions as managers of the large estates."

Wright returned to Port of Cortez from Tegucigalpa and rode across the country on horseback to Panama, but to him this proved dangerous ground, it being at that time so flooded with the American population. The next steamer Wright took for Santiago, Chile, but the wanderlust was on him, and he went around the Horn to Montevideo, Paraguay.

Saved Money

"Montevideo was the place in which I was most successful," said Wright, "and I remained there almost two years. During that time I was an agent for the American Harvester Company, and later a representative of the R. G. Dun Reporting Company of New York. I was enabled to save a considerable sum of money, as Americans in these countries are few and are highly paid."

Wright says that he did not experience any hardships in his travels after the first year. In that time his troubles were mainly in mastering the Spanish language and in becoming acquainted with the peculiarities of the people. He had no startling adventures and he went about his business alone.

Receives Cable

There was a pathetic tone in Wright's voice when he remarked that from the time he took the train in this city until he returned this morning he never saw a man whom he knew and he had traveled in every country in Central and South America, and all over England, Ireland and Scotland. Upon receiving the cable signal from his wife Wright immediately drew the several thousand dollars he had saved from the bank and sailed from Liverpool. He received the word from his wife November 28 and left two weeks later.

From Liverpool Wright went to London, Dublin and Glasgow and sailed for home during the first week in February. He arrived in New York on February 14 and spent his time between the large cities. He took the train from Washington for San Jose on the first of the present month.

Denies Guilt

"I did not leave this country because I was guilty of having accepted a bribe," said Wright. "I am not guilty, but the minds of the people became so inflamed through the stand taken by the press that I did not deem that I would have been fairly dealt with. I spent everything I had in fighting the case and was no further off when my money was all gone than when I began. It was this that made me leave. I know that without the proper means I could not fight the case, and it meant that an innocent man must go to prison.

"If I thought that I could have been treated fairly and squarely in the matter I would have stayed here and proved to the people that I was innocent. I saw no future for me in San Jose, even if I had been acquitted. There are those who would still believe me guilty and that was another reason why I sought a new country.

"I have no plans for the future," he continued. "I have had no time to size up the situation around here and do not know what the outlook is like. I do not think, however, that I will remain in San Jose. There is nothing here that I can successfully carry on and I will likely go back to Honduras and there form a company to take charge of a large banana plantation.

"I will likely remain in San Jose for several weeks but will ultimately go back to Central America."

STRAW VOTE AT TAFT & PENNOYER WAS FOR MOTT

A straw ballot was taken among the voting employes of Taft & Pennoyer's large store at the corner of Clay and Fourteenth streets last night which showed the following result.

Mott for Mayor 48
Jackson 8

This ballot was made by disinterested representatives of one of the candidates.

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yard this year and another daughter, Constance, 14 years old. They have taken the house of Senator Brandegee in Washington, and will entertain lavishly.

Hospitable Woman

A woman who possesses to a marked degree the hospitality which makes the women of her section of the country famous is Mrs. Jacob McGavock Dickinson, who takes her place in the smart set of the Capital as the wife of the Secretary of War.

Memphis, Tenn., is the home of Mrs. Dickinson. There while her husband practiced law, a partner to the retired Secretary of War, Luke E. Wright, she reigned as social queen and her departure from Memphis has caused much regret in that city. Mrs. Dickinson is a much traveled woman, having been over almost the entire world. She accompanied her husband to Pekin when he went there as member of the commission to settle the Boxer troubles. She is a relative of the widow of the Minister to this country from Norway, Christian Hauge, who died not long ago.

Liked by Mrs. Taft

It is prophecied that Mrs. Dickinson will be most intimate with Mrs. Taft, as she has a delightful Southern drawl which pleases the President's wife. Also, the couple speak many foreign languages together.

With such members as these in the official smart set little doubt can be felt but that the next four years at the Capital will be strenuous, socially, at least.

SUES BROTHER AND SISTER FOR ESTATE

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—Suit to set aside deeds alleged to have been obtained by fraud was begun by Mrs. Mary L. Edmondson, administratrix of the estate of her father, John B. Lewis, against her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Kelly, and her brother, John B. Lewis, Jr., and others.

Lewis died intestate March 20, 1906. He left realty in this city and San Mateo county worth between $10,000 and $15,000. According to the complaint he wanted all his children, of whom there are four, to share equally in his estate. His son, John B. Lewis, Jr., the complaint says, induced him to sign three deeds to the property, with the understanding that they were deeds of trust in which all his children would have an equal share, but which turned out to be absolute deeds to the son. Lewis Jr. later transferred the property to his sister, Mrs. Kelly.

The complaint asks that the deeds be declared void, and that during the pendency of the suit a receiver be appointed to take charge of the property.

Made Slip in Giving Taft Oath

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The fact developed today that Chief Justice Fuller in administering the oath of office to William H. Taft made a slip in phraseology. The oath reads:

"I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute the office of President of the United States." Chief Justice Fuller dictated to Mr. Taft that "I will faithfully execute the constitution of the United States."

"Don't do it," whispered Mr. Knox, who stood at Mr. Taft's elbow. The new President suppressed a smile, and in repeating the oath used the words prescribed.

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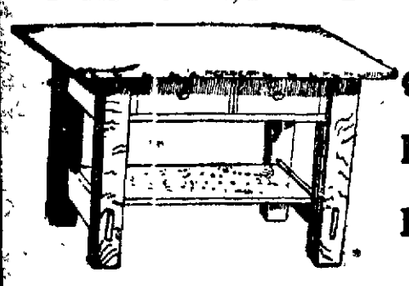

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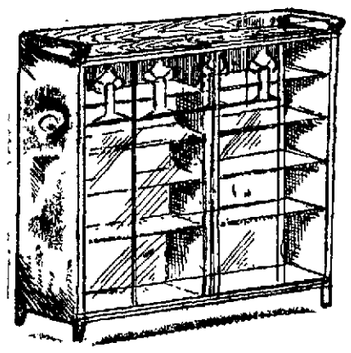

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1 Center Table, golden oak	$ 6.00	$ 3.00
1 Center Table, golden oak, very handsome	$13.00	$ 7.75
1 Crow's Nest (4 tables), mahogany	$17.50	$ 9.75
1 Library Table, weathered finish	$ 6.50	$ 4.00
1 Library Table, quartered weathered oak	$21.00	$12.50
1 Library Table, mahogany	$30.00	$20.00
1 Library Table, golden oak	$40.00	$27.50
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CZAR HOLDS KEY TO SERVIAN SITUATION

Russia Must Remain Neutral to Preserve Peace Between Disputing Nations

RECENT DEVELOPMENTS ARE VERY DISQUIETING

Austria-Hungary Is Ready to Grasp Sword on Slightest Provocation

BERLIN, March 6.—The situation between Austria-Hungary and Servia arising from the efforts of the latter country to secure compensation for the annexation by the dual monarchy of Bosnia and Herzegovina, was today acknowledged to be disquieting. There is, however, this advantage.

The issues are more clearly defined than before. It can be said with authority that everything now depends upon the position Russia takes in the matter. The situation stands as follows: Servia has undoubtedly renounced all her direct demands, both territorial and economical, but at the same time she charged Russia to place these demands *before an international conference*. Austria-Hungary declined to accept such a conference until the points at issue with Servia are settled.

Must Negotiate Direct

Austria-Hungary is prepared to grant favorable commercial and economical compensations to Servia if Servia consents to negotiate direct, but should such a conference be called to deal with these questions, Austria-Hungary, with the support of Germany, would oppose any concessions. Austria-Hungary and Germany consider that a conference should be called only to ratify agreements already made and they do not recognize the right of the Powers in any way to intervene in questions concerning the two countries. Up to the present time Russia has not intimated whether or not she will accept the Servian mandate to approach the Powers.

Although there is no serious anxiety regarding the eventual peaceful outcome of this controversy, a certain disquieting tension was evidenced today in official circles.

Berlin Pessimistic

The comments of the evening papers on the Austro-Servian situation is pessimistic, but the hope is expressed that Russia soon will make known her intention to favor a peaceful solution. The Vossische Zeitung summarizes the situation as follows:

"Russia has the thankless task. If she refuses to carry out the wishes of Servia it is to be feared that Servia will throw herself upon the Austria bayonets. If, on the other hand, Russia exercises the slightest compulsion on Austria-Hungary it is probable that the dual monarchy will grasp the sword as the only means of cutting the Servian knot."

Vienna Defines Attitude

VIENNA, March 6.—Count Forgach, the Austro-Hungarian minister at Belgrade, has been instructed to inform the Servian government that owing to the attitude maintained by Servia for the last few months the government of the dual monarchy, to its regret, has not been in a position to submit a renewal of the commercial treaty with Servia which expires March 31 for parliamentary sanction. The Austro-Hungarian government, Count Forgach is instructed to add, cherishes the confident hope that Servia, which, it is generally understood, has, in accordance with the advice of the Powers, decided to change her policy with regard to Bosnia and Herzegovina, will notify Vienna of this wise resolution as well as her intention to maintain peaceful and neighborly relations with Austria-Hungary. As soon as this notification is received Austria-Hungary will be prepared to negotiate the questions of trade intercourse pending between the two countries.

MOTT AND JACKSON BOTH CLAIM ELECTION

Charter Amendment Vote Pleases Mayor

The voters of this city will elect tomorrow a Mayor and other municipal officers.

The defeat of two of the eight proposed charter amendments last Friday has cast considerable doubt as to the result of the coming election. That it will be hotly contested from start to finish there is no doubt in the minds of the outsider whose interest lies with neither party.

Mayor Mott, incumbent, who is seeking a third term, and Dr. F. F. Jackson, present councilman, who headed the Citizen's party ticket, each claim a victory in Friday's election, and each says that the vote cast indicated the result of tomorrow's election.

What Mott Thinks

Mayor Frank K. Mott, when seen yesterday, said: "The returns of the charter amendment election show that *all the amendments except two* carried. I am pleased with the result. It shows that the policies of the administration relating to the important questions now pressing for solution are satisfactory and that the people of Oakland have confidence in the men to whom they have entrusted the governmental affairs of the city.

"The ratification of the amendment by our citizens means much, in that it allows the administration to carry forward important projects which, owing to the limitations of our present charter, were impossible of achievement.

"I consider the result a vote of confidence, and it gives the administration encouragement to proceed with the work of improvement, the foundations of which have been laid and the completion of which cannot fail to redound to our credit, well-being and prosperity as a municipality."

Jackson Gives Views

Dr. F. F. Jackson, candidate for Mayor, who is opposing Mayor Mott, had this to say:

"It is evident from the vote cast for and against the charter amendments Friday that the Mott administration is thoroughly discredited in the eyes of the people of Oakland. This discredit means the defeat of Mr. Mott Monday.

"The administration staked everything on carrying the amendments by an overwhelming majority, yet it is safe to say that of the three thousand-odd voters they mustered at the polls, upwards of two thousand were members of the machine and intimately connected in a beneficial way with members of the machine.

"The administration was rebuked for its attempted salary grab, by the defeat of the salary raise amendment. The administration was rebuked for its absurd percentages in the initiative, referendum and recall by the defeat of this amendment upon which they staked much. In this latter rebuke can be found every evidence that the country-wide movement to put an end to graft in public office, is not to be headed off in Oakland. A charter that will give the people control is demanded.

"I am satisfied that the reaction will be shown on Monday's election. These people are determined not to be juggled out of their votes on that day. The whole showing is very gratifying to me."

LOVE LETTERS LIKE GILLETTE WROTE

Acquitted of One Murder Charge Young Howard Now Faces Another

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., March 6.—Love letters rivaling the emotional missives sent by Grace "Billy" Brown to Chester Gillette before the famous tragedy of the Adirondacks hold the center of the stage in William C. Howard's fight for life. He is a young soldier of Fort Redman of this city and is being tried here on the charge of murdering his young wife, Ida, on the night of September 19 last.

This is the second time within a year that Howard has been tried for his life. Last July he was arrested on the charge of having shot and killed Edward Dewhurst in Hazelwood Park, at New Bedford. No one witnessed the Dewhurst killing except Miss Grace F. Sturtevant, a girl of 18 years, to whom Howard had been paying much attention. The killing of Dewhurst remained a profound mystery for three years. Miss Sturtevant kept the secret. During all this time Howard continued to pay attention to her. After his first three years of enlistment had expired he went to his home in Tennessee and was there married. This he kept secret from Miss Sturtevant.

Enlisted in Army

Returning to New Bedford, Howard reenlisted in the army. He had told Miss Sturtevant that his sister, Rhoda, would follow him.

A young woman appeared in New Bedford who was introduced by Howard as his sister to Miss Sturtevant. In reality she was his wife, Ida Howard.

Last July Howard's wife revealed the fact, which had come into her possession, that it was her husband who had killed Dewhurst. When Howard faced the electric chair, charged with the crime, Miss Sturtevant came to the front and swore that she was with Howard when he shot Dewhurst, and that he fired in self-defense. Howard went free.

Two months later Howard's wife, who had posed as his sister, died mysteriously. On September 20 last her body was found in the river. A few days afterward Howard was arrested, charged with her murder.

Choked to Death

Witnesses have sworn that Mrs. Howard was seen going to Padanarum on the evening of September 19 and one of them declared that she had stated that she was to meet her husband there. Gardner T. Hart of that place swore that he had seen Howard there about 11 o'clock on the night of the tragedy. Medical experts testified that Mrs. Howard had been choked to death and her body thrown into the water.

Miss Lena Watson went on the stand in Howard's defense and swore that she and her mother spent from 8 until 12 o'clock on the night of the tragedy at Fort Rodman. Miss Watson was one of thirteen girls whose names were found in Howard's soldier handbook under the heading of "My Sweethearts." One of the others of the thirteen was Miss Sturtevant.

If the jury regards the testimony of Miss Watson as true she will be the second of his sweethearts to step forward when he faced death for murder and save his life.

STATE NEEDS $9,658,298 TO RUN THE GOVERNMENT

Appropriation Will Cover Two Fiscal Years

SACRAMENTO, March 6.—The general appropriation bill for the sixty-first and sixty-second fiscal years, beginning July 1, 1909, is now before the Assembly. It was reported by the Committee on Ways and Means, of which Robert Beardslee of Stockton is the chairman.

The measure calls for a total appropriation of $9,658,298, as against $8,133,689 of two years ago. The increase in the estimate is due to the needs of the State institutions because of the growth of population, which has made demands upon the various departments never made before.

Report Gigantic Task

The work of preparing a report of this kind is of herculean proportions. To it, at this session, Chairman Beardslee has devoted almost every night since the first meeting of his committee. A thorough inquiry was made into every request which came before the committee, with the result that thousands of dollars were cut off and what was known to be a liberal and practical allowance was recommended.

The members of the committee were of a mind with Chairman Beardslee and it was decided that not a dollar would be reported over and above what seemed to be justified by the needs of the next two years.

Little Discussion Over Bill

The Senate appropriation bill usually provokes an amount of discussion consuming a number of days of valuable time toward the closing hour of the session. There are indications now that this time will be saved because most of the members of the house are pleased with the report of the Beardslee committee, all the more so because it is known that Governor Gillett's wishes have been anticipated in it.

It is possible now that the Legislature may come to a final adjournment about March 15.

Items of Expenditure

The report of the committee referred to, condensed, is as follows:

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.	
Salaries and mileage, Senators	$ 42,200
Salaries and mileage Assemblymen	88,500
Officers and clerks, Senate and Assembly	60,000
Contingent expenses, Senate and Assembly	12,000
Total	$197,700
JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.	
Salaries Justices Supreme Court	$112,600
Salaries Justices District Courts of Appeal	126,000
State portion salaries superior judges	445 000
Salaries clerks and reporters and expenses Supreme and District Courts of Appeal	200 540
Total	$883,540
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.	
Salary of Governor	$ 20,000
Salary of private secretary	10,000
Salary of executive secretary	7 200
Salary of stenographer	4 900
Support of Governor's residence	17,500
Contingent expenses, printing, postage, binding, etc	26 000
Total	$ 84,700
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.	
Salary	$ 8,000
BOARD OF EXAMINERS.	
Salary of secretaries, clerks, etc	$ 44,160
SECRETARY OF STATE.	
Salary	$ 10 000
Salary of deputy	6 000
Salary of deputy bookkeepers	238 430
Total	$298,590
CAPITAL GROUNDS.	
Gardener and laborers	$32 160
Policemen, water, light, implements	24 600
CONTROLLER'S OFFICE.	
Controller	$10 000
Deputy, bookkeeper, clerks, binding, etc	49 890
ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE	
Attorney General	$12 000
Assistant, deputies, reporters, printing, law books	61,700
SURVEYOR GENERAL'S OFFICE	
Surveyor General	$10,000
Deputies and various expenses	33,000
SUPERINTENDENT PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE.	
Superintendent	$10,000
Deputies and incidentals	47,840
MILITARY PURPOSES.	
Adjutant General	$7,200
Assistant Adjutant General, clerks, transportation, uniform National Guard, rent of armories, etc	362,900
STATE PRINTING OFFICE.	
State printer	$10 000
Deputy, labor and supplies	25,250
STATE BOARD OF HEALTH.	
Secretary	$ 7 200
Attorney	6 000
Deputies, statisticians, etc	55,400
INSURANCE COMMISSIONER.	
Commissioner	4,000
Deputy	1,400
BOARD RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.	
Secretary	1,800
Ballifs, stenographers, etc	17,200
STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.	
Salaries	30,000
Secretary	6,000
Traveling, printing, etc	16,400
COMMISSION, REVISION AND REFORM OF LAW	
Commissioner	7,200
Stenographer, etc	1,625
STATE BOARD OF FORESTRY.	
Forster	6 000
Assistants, printing, binding, etc	21,900
CALIFORNIA REDWOOD PARK.	
Maintenance and improvement	10 000
STATE ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT	
State Engineer	11,000
Assistants, etc	111,800
STATE MINING BUREAU.	
State Mineralogist	6,000
Salaries and miscellaneous	67 500
STATE BOARD OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS.	
Salaries and expenses	12,000
STATE HOSPITALS FOR INSANE.	
Stockton	610,000
Napa	579,000
Agnews	404,000
Mendocino	150,000
Southern Cal. State Hospital	456,000
Folsom State Hospital	24,000
Home Feeble Minded	231,000
STATE COMMISSION IN LUNACY.	
Salaries of employes and general superintendent	37 500
Traveling, etc	10 000
INSTITUTION DEAF AND BLIND	
Salaries	95,500
Support, etc	45,600
HOME FOR ADULT BLIND.	
Salaries	26,900
Support, etc	40 400
STATE PRISONS AND REFORM SCHOOLS.	
San Quentin	613,000
Folsom	350,800
Superintendent Bureau Criminal Identification	3 600
Support of same	6,500
Preston School of Industry	114,750
Whittier State School	240,500
Transportation of criminals, insane, etc	180,000
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA	
Maintenance	200,000
Pacholological station	10 000
Music	6 500
(Over $600,000 extra are sought in bills pending)	
NORMAL SCHOOLS.	
San Jose	81 100
Los Angeles	114,000
Chico	81 100
San Diego	80,100
San Francisco	65,900
CALIFORNIA POLYTECHNIC SCHOOL.	
Salaries, etc	88 550
BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS.	
Commissioner	6 000
Deputies, etc	20,000
COMMISSIONER OF HORTICULTURE.	
Salary	6,000
Deputies, etc	53,000
VARIOUS COMMISSIONS, ETC.	
Fish Commission	40,000
State Dairy Bureau	25 000
State Board of Education	1,600
Veterans' Home	220,250
State Agricultural Society	47 500
STATE VETERINARIAN.	
Salary	7,200
Deputies, traveling, etc	29,200
UNIVERSITY FARM, DAVIS.	
Salaries	$ 25,000
Maintenance, etc	97,000
MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES.	
Traveling, Normal School directors	$ 1 500
Guardian Marshall Monument	1,200
Guardian Sutter's Fort	1 800
Gardener Sutter's Fort	2,160
Maintenance of grounds Sutter's fort	1,500
Interest on $100,000 to Hastings Law College	14 000
Care State Burial Grounds	500
Harbor commissioners, Eureka	9,800
Orphans, half orphans and abandoned children	$75,000

men, who generally get the first correct idea of itemized bills sent to the printer.

Print Goes to Chairman

The print of the bill is to be returned to Chairman Payne, and is to be distributed to the Republican members of the committee. It will not be allowed to pass into the hands of Democratic members of the committee. When the Republicans shall have reached an agreement upon the entire bill it will be printed.

The Democrats are not certain that even the completed bill is to be shown them until it has been presented to the House by Chairman Payne. The Payne bill will be ready to submit to Congress by March 15. Next week the Republicans will sit daily to effect an agreement on the disputed schedules.

PRINTERS AT WORK ON TARIFF BILL

Committee Draft of Measure Is Being Put in Type for Revision

WASHINGTON, March 6.—A committee draft of the print tariff bill went to the public printer today. It is a tentative frame-up of the new law containing many propositions in which the Republican majority of the committee have reached no final conclusion. The print is desired that the tariff tinkers may have before them in concrete shape the results of their work and agreement for review.

Several important schedules are to be agreed upon. Among them are steel, wool and lumber. In each instance a compromise bill will have to be furnished. The Western members of the committee are standing out against the standpatters. Chairman Payne has been converted by President Taft and is a revisionist.

Precautions Against "Leak"

Public Printer Donnelly has taken precautions against a leak on the committee print of the tariff bill. The manuscript has been distributed in small takes to many printers, and no one man will get a complete draft of any one item in the various schedules.

Precautions have also been taken against the proofreaders, and proofs will be so distributed as to confuse even these

GOSSIP OF LONDON, ITS PEOPLE AND AFFAIRS

(BY LADY SOMERSET.)

LONDON, March 6.—There can be little doubt that responsibility is one of the very best factors for calling out all that is great and worthy in man or woman.

Lord Dudley has recently been appointed as governor general in Australia. He has already occupied the position of viceroy of Ireland, and his reputation for the love of magnificence and the employment of outriders and powdered footmen, reached Australia before they realized that the man had genuine qualities which were not expressed in these undemocratic accessories.

When the governor general landed in Australia they found a man who was strong and friendly, and determined to move about among the people, understand their conditions and respect their prejudices.

A short time ago Lord Dudley was to arrive at a mining city to attend a review. The car in which the governor general rode broke down, and the chauffeur was unable to effect repairs, so that there seemed but little prospect of the appointment being kept.

In vain Lord Dudley looked around for a farmer's cart, but the country was lonely and none were to be found. Presently he heard the whistle of the approaching engine on the train bound for Ballarat. The whole party repaired to the line, and by waving sticks and handkerchiefs the train was stopped and, clinging to the foot-plate of the ballast engine the governor general and his private secretary and aide de camp were finally conveyed to their destination.

A band of navies were on board the ballast train and on reaching Ballarat, the platform resounded with the ringing cheers of the men who received the governor general for the first time under those strange conditions.

It is this free spirit and boyish enjoyment of life which will endear Lord Dudley to the people of that new world, and the responsible position will call out, in one who has the capacity of fulfilling it, all that is best and finest in his own nature.

The welcome which Dr. Sven Hedin received from the great audience at Queens Hall this week, among whom was the secretary of state for India, Lord Morely, must have brought cheer to that most enterprising traveler, whose experiences read like one of the stories in the "Arabian Nights."

His journey through the forbidden country, the great unknown territory, was a tale of thrilling interest, given in fluent although somewhat broken English, in the most picturesque manner.

The wildness and the desolation of the country were well exemplified by the lecturer, when he told a story of the frozen snow fields and the lonely raven which followed the band of travelers for a month, waiting patiently for the possibility of someone being left behind.

The meeting between the explorer and the father of all the Tibet[illegible] delightful in its simplic[illegible] touches. He described th[illegible] festivities in Brammа-Pu[illegible] lakes which had their sou[illegible] tremendous glaciers, "a[illegible] and snow," and the Holy [illegible] around which the pilgrim[illegible] times to purge themselves.

His discoveries were [illegible] geographical but strategical [illegible] Himalayas is another for[illegible] between the two stretches [illegible] no army could pass. "Th[illegible] must be an answer to thos[illegible] that the Himalayas are [illegible] protection to the border co[illegible]

But probably that which [illegible] deepest interest in this f[illegible] were the stories that [illegible] of the lamas in Tibet, a[illegible] ong whom he sojourned.

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Among the most amazing incidents of the lecture was the way in which the Tibetians firmly believed everything Dr. Hedin told them.

"They wanted me to go back the way I had come," he said, "so I answered that by the religious laws of my country I was forbidden to go in my own footprints, and the Tibetans thought that was very reasonable and I was allowed to go the way I desired."

Franklin Play Haywards

The Franklin Grammar baseball team met and defeated the fast Haywards Grammar School team Friday afternoon by the score of 8 to 3. The features of the game were the pitching of Dixon, who held Haywards down to three hits, and also the heavy hitting of the Franklins.

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A Convincing Experiment

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BOSTON, March 6.—Miss Sarah Orne Jewett, famous literary woman, friend of America's greatest men of letters, is lying seriously ill at the home of Mrs. James T. Field in this city. Dr. James M. Jackson said tonight that she was extremely low.

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WEALTHY WIDOW WEDS CHAUFFEUR

Despite Bitter Opposition Mrs. Van Voorhies Becomes Arnold Patterson's Bride

SACRAMENTO, March 6.—In spite of the opposition of many of her relatives, Mrs. A. A. Van Voorhies, the wealthy widow of the late millionaire harness and saddlery dealer, was married this morning to her young chauffeur, Arnold Patterson. The wedding took place at the home of her mother, Mrs. Harry Mountfort, at the Mountfort residence in Boulevard Park, and was attended only by the parents of the young groom and the members of the Van Voorhies family who were not opposed to the wedding. Long before the marriage, which took place at 9 o'clock, rumors were rife upon the streets that a determined effort was to be made by some of Mrs. Van Voorhies' relatives to prevent the wedding, but such was not the case, as the ceremony was performed by the Rev. Hoskinson of the English Lutheran Church and the utmost harmony prevailed at the wedding.

Ready for Emergency

J. G. Patterson, father of the groom, was on hand long before the wedding with a large touring car and stated that if the relatives appeared to stop the wedding a trip would be made to some house in the country and the ceremony would be performed there. Mrs. Van Voorhies had agreed to this plan, as the wedding ceremony which was to have taken place a week ago, was postponed owing to the strenuous objections of her relatives. Mrs. Van Voorhies stated that if her relatives should object this morning she and her young groom would go to some country lane or home and have the ceremony performed, but her relatives, realizing that she was bound to marry the man of her choice, did not interrupt the wedding ceremony.

Another Surprise

The fact that the marriage ceremony was performed by a minister of the English Lutheran Church also occasioned much surprise, owing to the fact that the late husband of the bride was one of the pillars of the Episcopal Church in this city and his wife had always been a devout worshiper of that religion.

The marriage took place in the parlors of the Mountfort home and was attended by Mrs. Harry Mountfort, mother of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Patterson, parents of the groom; Miss May Carroll, a niece of the bride; Mrs. L. H. Mountfort and her daughter, Miss L. Mountfort. L. H. Mountfort, a brother of the bride, and many other relatives in this city were not bidden to the wedding on account of their opposition to Patterson.

Now on Honeymoon

After the wedding ceremony Patterson and his bride entered their limousine car and sped to the Southern Pacific Company's wharf, where the car was driven aboard the steamer Apache and the trip made to San Francisco. From San Francisco they will motor to the southern part of the State, spending several weeks on the tour before taking a trip to Europe.

J. G. Patterson, father of the groom, stated this evening that his son had been managing the affairs of his bride for the past two months, and that the wedding would have taken place some time ago but for the opposition of the bride's relatives.

Mrs. Harry Mountfort, mother of the bride, is very much pleased with the wedding, but the balance of the relatives are bitterly opposed to the match.

STEAMER DAMAGED BY BARK IN STORM

Raking the German steamer Hermonthis with her steel jibboom, the French bark Germaine inflicted much damage to the steamer during the high wind at 1 o'clock yesterday morning at the Oakland long wharf. The Hermonthis was damaged to the extent of from $2000 to $4,000, and will be delayed here in making repairs before her voyage to the southern coast and Europe can be undertaken.

The strong southerly wind was particularly felt by vessels at the long wharf. Extra lines had been run out by most of the shipmasters, but the headlines of the bark Germaine snapped when the squall was at its worst, and the vessel's head swung out into the slip, the jibboom raking the side of the Hermonthis in resistless manner. Two of the side plates were broken, a lifeboat was smashed, and the rail and other adjacent wood and iron work was badly damaged. Part of the headgear of the Germaine was also carried away.

CONCERT GIVEN TO AID A SICK MAN

Under the auspices of the First Norwegian Danish Methodist Church a musical concert was given last evening in Hamilton Hall, at Thirteenth and Jefferson streets, for the benefit of a sick man and his family. The program was a specially prepared one and was rendered by several well-known musicians of San Francisco and Oakland.

SUPERFLUOUS HAIR

Doctors Say There Is a Harmless, Safe and Sure Way to Remove It.

Dr. Starbuck Says: "I Feel Justified in Making the Assertion That It Is the Only Successful Method of Removing Hair."

Every woman who is afflicted with superfluous hair will undoubtedly be glad to know that there is but one proper and logical method of getting rid of this most annoying and embarrassing disfigurement.

The best authorities in the medical profession agree that De Miracle will destroy hair successfully, although there are many other unreliable things which claim to do it. The success which has attended this preparation as a means of removing hair is based upon the method by which it works. It is a purely scientific principle and totally different from the pastes and powders and other remedies which simply break off the hair in the same way that the razor does, making the hair when it grows out again heavier than before.

As far as the electric needle or X-ray is concerned, both are not only unsatisfactory, but dangerous as well. The scars and burns of the electric needle last for a lifetime and the dangers of the X-ray are indeed serious.

De Miracle may be used without any inconvenience or danger of any kind. The method by which it removes hair should not be classed or compared with that of the fake free treatments which are advertised so extensively in the newspapers.

Remember De Miracle is the only method for removing hair which is endorsed by physicians, surgeons, dermatologists, medical journals and prominent magazines.

We shall be pleased indeed to send you absolutely free in plain sealed envelop a 54-page booklet containing full information concerning this remarkable treatment as well as testimonials of prominent physicians, surgeons, dermatologists, medical journals, and the principal magazines. You should read this booklet before buying anything. It treats the subject exhaustively. Write to the De Miracle Chemical Co., Dept. D. G., 1003 Park avenue, New York, simply saying you want this booklet, and it will be mailed sealed at once.

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Mackay's Second Week of Closing Warehouse Sale Brings Mackay's

MORE FURNITURE BARGAINS

Tomorrow we begin the Sale of Parlor Furniture and you can buy it at prices never dreamed of before. There are still bargains without number in nearly all lines advertised last week. Some were sold out, of course, but others have taken their places. As we explained last week we must sell $50,000 worth of furniture before we can close our Emeryville warehouse and we are willing to lose $5,000 to do it quickly.

READ THE PRICES BELOW—THEY TELL THE STORY

Dining Room Furniture

China Closets.

Quarter-Sawed Golden Oak

No. 368.....were $30.00, now $15.00
No. 220.....were $35.00; now $20.00
No. 605¼.....were $48.00; now $22.50
No. 0257½.....were $45.00; now $22.50
No. 290.....were $45.00, now $25.00
No. 270½.....were $55.00; now $27.50

Early English Oak.

No. 635.....were $35.00; now $15.00
No. 636.....were $36.00; now $16.50
No. 840.....were $50.00; now $22.50
No. 906 F. O.....were $60.00; now $25.00

Mahogany China Closets

No. 7464.....were $88.00; now $40.00
No. 4502.....were $85.00; now $40.00

Dining-Room Sets.

No. 913; 3-piece set in fumed oak, Arts and Crafts design.was $140; now $62.50
No. 881; 2-piece set, Arts and Crafts design, including China Closet and Buffet; solid mahogany .....was $240.00; now $120.00
No. 917; 3-piece set similar to above but including serving table, Arts and Crafts design..was $293.00; now $145.00
No. 879½; mahogany Extension Table to match above sets was $95.00; now $40.00
A few odd Buffets and Serving Tables at trifling prices to close them out.

Extension Tables.

The following are all pedestal tables, square, round and oval; some 6-foot, some 8-foot extension.

Golden and Quarter-Sawed Oak.

Were..$22.00, $30.00, $40.00, $70.00, $92.50
Now...$12.50, $16.00, $24.00, $42.00, $47.00

Weathered and Fumed Oak.

Were.$23.00, $35.00 $40.00, $45.00, $100.00
Now..$12.50, $17.50, $20.00, $22.50, $ 60.00

Golden Oak Tables, with Legs, 6 and 8-Foot Extension.

Were...$9.00, $10.00, $15.00, $18.00, $25.00
Now....$6.50, $ 7.00, $ 8.50, $ 9.50, $14.50

Dining Chairs.

Golden oak, including both cane and saddle seats:

Were.....$2.00, $2.35, $2.50, $2.50, $3.00
Now.....$1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $1.60, $1.50

Quarter-Sawed Golden Oak.

Box cane seat, some in leather also.

Were.....$3.00, $4.50, $6.00, $9.00, $10.50
Now.....$1.75, $2.25, $3.25, $5.00, $ 4.50

Arm Chairs, some to Match Above.

Were.....$7.50, $9.00, $10.50, $12.00
Now.....$3.75, $4.75, $ 5.25, $ 9.75

Early English and Weathered Oak.

Were.....$1.50, $1.50, $4.50, $7.50, $10.00
Now..... 95c, $ .50, $2.35, $3.25, $ 4.00

Bedroom Furniture

Dressers and Chiffoniers.

Dressers in Maple and Birdseye Maple—
Were .$21.00, $23.00, $33.50, $32.50, $35.00
Now...$10.50, $12.00, $17.50, $16.50, $17.50
Dressers in Golden and Quarter-Sawed Oak
Were .$16.50, $20.00, $22.00, $26.00, $32.50
Now ..$ 8.50, $10.00, $11.25, $14.00, $16.50
Dressers in Mahogany—
Were .$27.50, $35.00, $40.00, $48.00, $60.00
Now ..$13.50, $18.00, $20.00, $26.00 $30.00
Chiffoniers to match the above, all reduced in same proportion.

Bedroom Chairs and Rockers—Great variety in birch, mahogany and birdseye maple, including both cane and saddle seats:
Were.$3.00, $3.25, $4.50, $5.00, $5.00, $10.50
Now..$1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00, $2.25, $ 5.00

Iron Beds, Three-quarter Sizes.

3—No. 603, blue...were $ 3.00; now $ 1.50
6—No. 612, cream.were $17.00; now $ 4.50
3—No. 473, cream.were $13.00; now $ 5.00
1—No. 447, Vernis Martin.....were $18.00; now $6.50

Parlor Furniture

Parlor Sets.

No. 9151; 3-piece imitation mahogany and tapestry.....was $35.00; now $18.00
No. 9100; 3 pieces, settee, rocker and arm chair, imitation mahogany; loose silk plush cushions; former price $80.00 .....now $45.00
No. 2171; 3 pieces, solid mahogany .....was $85.00, now $50.00
No. 6544; 3 pieces, solid mahogany, loose velour cushions..was $105.00; now $65.00
No. 1713; 3 pieces, solid mahogany, velvet seats and backs .....was $150.00, now $75.00
No. 9564; 3 pieces, solid mahogany, Colonial Panne plush seats and backs.....was $150.00; now $85.00
No. L53; 3-piece Chippendale Set, sofa, arm chair and side chair; solid mahogany; former price $155; now $100.00
No. 803; 2 pieces, sofa and arm chair, high paneled backs, solid mahogany and silk plush..was $203.00; now $110.00
No. 697; 2 pieces, massive designs, solid mahogany and silk plush .....was $230.00; now $150.00

Settees and Sofas.

No. 7539; Settee, imitation mahogany, velour seat.....was $20.00; now $12.50
No. 334; Settee in solid mahogany with velour seat.....was $35.00; now $20.00
No. 773; Settee, solid mahogany, velour seat and back....was $70.00, now $38.00
No 247; Sofa, solid mahogany .....was $85.00; now $50.00

Center Tables.

A large assortment of round, square and fancy shapes in golden oak and mahogany. Grouped to sell as follows:

Choice of all $2.50 to $5.00 Tables $1.50
Choice of all $4.00 to $10.00 Tables $3.00
Choice of all $11.00 to $17.00 Tables $7.50

Folding Card Tables, $1.50.

Nos. 125 and 127—Round or square, hardwood, nicely finished. Regular price $3.00.

Rocking Chairs.

No. 331; imitation mahogany, wood seat .....was $8.50; now $4.50
No. 351; imitation mahogany and velour .....was $10.00; now $5.00
No. 398; imitation mahogany, wood seat .....was $9.50; now $5.50
No. 424; imitation mahogany, loose cushions .....was $14.00; now $7.50
No. 5317, imitation mahogany, Panne plush .....was $16.00; now $8.50
No. 5315; imitation mahogany, silk plush .....was $16.00; now $8.50
No. 449T; solid mahogany, tapestry .....was $22.50; now $12.50
No. 928; solid mahogany, loose cushions .....was $27.00; now $15.00
No. 738; Fireside Rocker mahogany frame, all over upholstery cretonne.....was $40.00; now $26.00
No. 688; solid mahogany, embossed velour seat and back..was $30; now $20.00
No. 2668; very large Arm Rocker, solid mahogany, velvet seat and back .....was $80.00, now $45.00

Arm Chairs.

No 502; imitation mahogany, wood seat .....was $6.00; now $3.50
No. 193; imitation mahogany, loose cushions .....was $7.50, now $5.50
No 6446; imitation mahogany, wood seat .....was $12.50; now $6.25
No 8582; imitation mahogany, loose cushions .....was $17.50; now $9.00
No. 114; solid mahogany, wood seat.....was $20.00; now $10.50
No. 929; solid mahogany, loose cushions .....was $25.00, now $15.00
No. 9791; English Fireside Chair, Denim covered .....was $37.00, now $17.50
No. 7777; English Fireside Chair, Panne plush .....was $80.00; now $50.00
No. 415; Ladies' Morris Chair, solid mahogany .....was $60.00; now $32.50

Davenports.

No 9062; Bed Davenport, massive golden oak frame, velour cover .....was $57.50; now $35.00
No. 9041; five-foot Davenport, mahogany and velour...was $60.00; now $37.50
No. 2512; Colonial design, solid mahogany and brocaded velour .....was $80.00, now $55.00
No. 2589; Colonial, solid mahogany .....was $110.00, now $65.00
No. 365; Colonial, curved back, Panne plush .....was $120.00; now $75.00

Office and Library Furniture

Bookkeepers' Desks.

3—No. 38; single 8ft. standing desks; golden oak.....were $34.00; now $17.50
2—Same design, double, 8-ft.....were $59.00; now $30.00
6-ft. .....were $40.00; now $22.50

High Desk Stools.

30—No. 97.; revolving high-desk stools; finished golden oak.....were $3.00; now $1.25

Double Flat Top Desks.

1—No 746; in ¼-sawed golden oak.....was $70.00 now $42.50
1—No. 917; in golden oak.....was $45.00; now $27.50

Salesmen's Desks.

No. 57—Solid oak, polished; slanting top; two drawers. Regular price $15.00; now $7.50.

Library Tables.

No 3510—Highly polished golden oak .....were $18.00; now $11.00
Quarter-sawed golden oak.....were $33.00; now $17.50
Quarter-sawed golden oak.....were $40.00; now $20.00
No. 464½—Massive design, quarter-sawed golden oak, heavy turned legs, 2 drawers.....were $53.00; now $26.00
Directors' Table, oval top, size 45x96 inches, finest selected golden oak, handsomely carved and highly polished.....was $67.50; now $35.00
Office Table, quarter-sawed oak, top 36x 60 inches, 2 drawers.....was $45.00; now $22.50

Revolving Desk Chairs.

All of the following are adjustable for height and tension, and are absolutely unprecedented bargains at the sale prices.

37—No. 1004; finished golden oak;.....were $4.50; now $1.65
32—No. 1000; high-back arm chairs.....were $5.50; now $2.50
44—No. 1002; high-back arm chairs.....were $6.00; now $2.50
8—No. 861; revolving desk chairs; ¼-sawed golden oak.....were $10.00; now $5.00
3—No. B642; same design.....were $10.00; now $5.00
1—455½; solid mahogany, leather seat and back. ..was $37.50; now $18.50
2—B232; same design .....was $15.00; now $8.50

Office Arm Chairs.

46—No. 458; finished golden oak; large and comfortable .....were $3.00; now $1.75
23—No. 456; similar description.....were $3.00; now $1.75

Typewriters' Revolving Chairs.

22—Adjustable back, quarter-sawed golden oak and mahogany .....were $8.00; now $4.00

Crex or Prairie Grass Furniture

This delightful furniture is made of Prairie Grass in natural color, which, by reason of its exceeding pliability and toughness may be wrought in most artistic forms. It is so strong as to be practically indestructible, so beautiful and comfortable as to be appreciated in all surroundings and at all seasons, and so inexpensive, especially at our present sale prices, that a quick selection is advisable.

Settees and Divans.

No. 555; Crex Settee; was $21.00; now $10.50
No. 544; Crex Divan, was $27.50; now $14.50
No. 588; Crex Settee, was $22.50; now $12.50
No. 460; Crex Settee, was $32.00; now $22.00
No. 466; Crex Settee; large.....was $52.00; now $35.00

Crex Chairs.

In variety of designs, including both side chairs and arm chairs.
Were $9 $15.75 $17.75 $22 $23.00 $27 $20.75
Now $6 $7.50 $9.50 $10 $12.50 $10 $13.50
Other designs at about same average prices.
No. 335; Morris Chair.was $26; now $15.00

NOTE—Sale is NOT at the warehouse, but begins at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning at our store.

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A Few Bargains in Beds

Wooden Beds, Were $7.50 to $16.50; Now $2.50 Each.

Nine designs in Golden Ash, Golden Oak, Birdseye Maple and Mahogany, full size. About 36 Beds in all. You can buy one or all of them if you like at $2.50 each.

Other Bargains in Wooden Beds—
Were..$18.00, $25.00, $35.00, $42.00, $75.00
Now ..$10.00, $17.50, $18.00, $20.00, $35.00

$75 Combination Folding Bed, $35.

Embraces full-size Bed, Writing Desk, Wardrobe and Chiffonier with mirror top, in weathered oak. Other designs in golden oak, quarter-sawed oak and fumed oak:
Were..$24.00, $30.00, $34.00, $41.00, $55.00
Now...$10.00, $12.50, $15.00, $17.50, $25.00

SAYS JAPANESE ARE OVERRATED

Professor Monaghan Decries Possibility of War Between Mikado and United States

CHICAGO, March 6.—The Japanese as a nation are greatly overrated. They have no material development, according to Professor James C. Monaghan of St. John's College in addressing the midwinter banquet of the Fellowship Club today.

"The Japanese as a nation," Professor Monaghan said, "are greatly overrated. They are a nation of 50,000,000 people, inhabiting a territory not so large as the State of California, and are dependent upon the United States for sustenance. They are great educators and strong on educational duties, but woefully weak in development, especially in material development. They do not desire war, least of all with the United States. We have need for no fear from Japan regarding war."

CADAWALDER MAY GET AMBASSADORSHIP

WASHINGTON, March 6.—John D. Cadawalder of New York may be nominated by President Taft as ambassador at the court of St. James. He is connected in business with Attorney-General Wickersham and about a fortnight ago, when Taft was in Philadelphia, Wickersham visited him and advanced Cadawalder's claims. The following day Mr. Cadawalder, at Mr. Taft's request, went to Philadelphia and the matter was canvassed between him and the President.

FIRE GIVES BOY HIS CHANCE TO ESCAPE

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—George Havenstein, twelve years old and incorrigible, did not lose his presence of mind when fire started today in the girl's dormitory at the Juvenile Detention Home, 1456 Harrison street. In fact, in the first moment of excitement following the discovery of the blaze, George was the only one of the twenty inmates to realize the opportunities of the situation. The doors were opened to admit the firemen with their lines of hose, the superintendent and his assistants were busy, and George just vanished through the front door and into the crowd.

George put in a pleasant day roaming about the city, but the task of dodging policemen, every one of whom he felt sure was after him, proved too much for his nerve, and he meekly went back to the home last evening at supper time.

The origin of the fire is a mystery, but Superintendent Harry A. Knox is inclined to attribute it to defective electric wiring. The damage, Superintendent Knox estimates at between $500 and $600.

SPECIALS

1 Singer, drop head; latest; $23.00.

1 Domestic, drop head; latest; $25.

1 Standard, drop head; latest; $32.

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MOVEMENT OF SHIPS IN AND OUT OF BAY

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—A big gasoline launch for the San Francisco and San Rafael route is to be placed in the water tomorrow from Harry Anderson's ways near Hunter's Point, and will be christened the W. H. Walker, after the owner.

Probably owing to adverse winds and head seas, the large freight steamer Virginia of the American-Hawaiian line, did not arrive today from Salina Cruz, Isthmus of Tehauntepec as was expected, but is booked for this morning.

The British steamer Hazel Dollar, under command of Captain Ridley, went to sea this afternoon, bound for Portland, to discharge a quantity of merchandise brought from the Orient.

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The Great Fer-Don has built up a reputation for square dealing and fair treatment since coming to Oakland, and the hundreds of cures effected by his wonderful staff of Bloodless Surgeons and European Experts have opened the eyes of all.

WERE THE TALK OF LOS ANGELES.

A sensation in San Jose and San Francisco and here in Oakland, they have astounded the most skeptical by the nature of their miraculous cures. For the past six months they have been here healing the sick. Their offices at 1069 Broadway are crowded with a good class of people from all parts of the State visiting these medical experts. Some came on canes and crutches; others were carried on cots. Some came out of mere curiosity's sake. Some were cured then and there; others were much benefited in a few minutes' time.

MIRACULOUS BENEFITS.

At the offices Cancers and Gall Stones were removed. Appendicitis, Nervous Diseases, Rupture, Catarrh, Stomach Trouble, Goitre (big neck), Liver and Kidney Trouble, Eczema, Skin Diseases, Dropsy, Fits, St. Vitus Dance, Hip Joint Disease, were cured by these

EUROPEAN MEDICAL EXPERTS AND BLOODLESS SURGEONS.

The Great Fer-Don when last in Europe gathered together for his present American Tour a Special Staff of European Medical Experts. Each of these are master specialists in treating chronic diseases of men, women and children, and their vast experience in the hospitals of Berlin, London, Vienna and Paris enables them to cure diseases that other physicians would call hopeless.

Thus the trained and expert service of a man with years of study and experience along one definite line is at the command of all who seek Fer-Don's doctors.

SOME REMARKABLE CURES.

J. P. Sherwood is one who had suffered untold misery with cystitis until he read in THE TRIBUNE of the Great Fer-Don and came to see his experts. He was under treatment for three months and now is perfectly well and strong. He walked into the offices of the experts at 1069 Broadway recently and the attendants were surprised at his marvelous change for the better. Mr. Sherwood said he was absolutely cured and thanked the Great Fer-Don for the blessing of restored health. He lives at 455 Sixtieth street, Oakland, and is himself a splendid testimonial of what Fer-Don can accomplish over disease.

FACIAL ERYSIPELAS CURED.

Mrs. Mary Lorens, who lives at 1362 Fifteenth street, has been relieved of a horrible skin disease by the European Medical Experts.

WRITES FROM CHICO.

Mrs. P. W. Cuddeback, in a letter to the Great Fer-Don, says: "My case was an unusually stubborn one, yet your remedy and treatment have worked wonders."

SALT LAKE MAN RELIEVED OF GALL STONES.

His letter is as follows:

Salt Lake City,
362 South First West St.

To Whom It May Concern: If it's in reference to gall stones I can honestly say that I have never heard or seen any remedies like those I received from the Great Fer-Don. I took three doses of his gall stone remedy and after taking two doses only the gall stones commenced to leave my system. I feel ten years younger; yes, more than that, and I believe if I had not gone to the Great Fer-Don the gall stones would have killed me.

Dated this 18th day of February, 1909.
(Signed) HENRY KRAMER.

SINGS FER-DON'S PRAISES.

Mrs. Rita Wilson of 2749 Magee avenue, Berkeley, had been a sufferer from the very worst form of sciatica rheumatism until she came to Fer-Don. After a few treatments she experienced such relief that she was able to do her housework for the first time in years. She sings the praises of the Great Fer-Don now and is thankful and grateful for the relief she received.

MAKE APPOINTMENTS NOW.

Where the charges for consultation and examination are so low, only $1 being asked, it behooves each and every one suffering from a chronic or lingering illness to see these European Medical Experts at once. The offices are at 1069 Broadway and are open from 10 to 12 A. M., 2 to 4 P. M. and 7 to 8 P. M.

HERE IS A COMPLETE LIST OF CITY'S POLLING PLACES

The following is the complete list of the various polling places for next Monday's election:

Ward 1

Precinct 1—1873 San Pablo avenue.
Precinct 2—1839 San Pablo avenue.
Precinct 3—Key Route station, Fifty-fifth and Grove streets.
Precinct 4—1505 Telegraph avenue.
Precinct 5—1160 Telegraph avenue.
Precinct 6—Glenn and Piedmont avenue.
Precinct 7—1822 Telegraph avenue.
Precinct 8—4610 Grove street.
Precinct 9—Apgar and Grove streets.
Precinct 10—Thirty-eighth and West streets.

Ward 2

Precinct 1—563 B street.
Precinct 2—1106 Peralta street.
Precinct 3—974 Twenty-fourth street.
Precinct 4—952 Twenty-eighth street.
Precinct 5—1009 San Pablo avenue.
Precinct 6—1024 San Pablo avenue.
Precinct 7—447 Thirty-first street.
Precinct 8—Thirty-fourth and West streets.
Precinct 9—Thirty-fourth and Telegraph avenue.
Precinct 10—Twenty-sixth and Telegraph avenue.
Precinct 11—487 Twenty-fifth street.
Precinct 12—778 Telegraph avenue.

Ward 3

Precinct 1—Twelfth and Campbell streets.
Precinct 2—1174 Center, near Fourteenth street.
Precinct 3—Adeline and Fourteenth streets.
Precinct 4—Fourteenth and Linden streets.
Precinct 5—Fourteenth and Filbert streets.
Precinct 6—Sixteenth and Brush streets.
Precinct 7—Eighteenth and Brush streets.
Precinct 8—411 San Pablo avenue.
Precinct 9—Eighteenth and San Pablo avenue.
Precinct 10—Twentieth and San Pablo (northeast corner).
Precinct 11—Twentieth and San Pablo (northwest corner).

Ward 4

Precinct 1—1776 Seventh street.
Precinct 2—Ninth and Willow.
Precinct 3—Ninth and Campbell.
Precinct 4—Eighth and Peralta.
Precinct 5—Ninth and Chester.
Precinct 6—1011 Kirkham street.
Precinct 7—Seventh and Magnolia.
Precinct 8—Seventh, between Linden and Filbert.
Precinct 9—Seventh, between Grove and Castro.
Precinct 10—1058 Market.
Precinct 11—Fourteenth and Grove.

Ward 5

Precinct 1—857 Clay street.
Precinct 2—959 Franklin.
Precinct 3—910 Allee.
Precinct 4—1016 Harrison.
Precinct 5—379 Eleventh.
Precinct 6—Eleventh and Washington.
Precinct 7—Tent, City Hall.
Precinct 8—Fourteenth and Webster.
Precinct 9—Fourteenth and Harrison.
Precinct 10—Twenty-fourth and Bay place.
Precinct 11—1730 Webster.

Ward 6

Precinct 1—1741 Seventh street.
Precinct 2—1460 Seventh street.
Precinct 3—1265 Seventh street.
Precinct 4—Seventh and Filbert streets (southwest corner).
Precinct 5—913 Seventh street.
Precinct 6—723 Seventh street.
Precinct 7—Seventh and Castro.
Precinct 8—809 Clay.
Precinct 9—Sixth and Broadway.
Precinct 10—320 Fourth street.
Precinct 11—Fifth and Harrison.
Precinct 12—Sixth and Oak.

Ward 7

Precinct 1—East Fourteenth and Sixth avenue (northwest corner).
Precinct 2—East Fourteenth and Sixth avenue (northeast corner).
Precinct 3—Tenth avenue and East Sixteenth.
Precinct 4—Tenth avenue and East Twenty-first.
Precinct 5—Thirteenth avenue and East Twenty-third.
Precinct 6—Thirteenth avenue and East Fourteenth.
Precinct 7—Twenty-first avenue and East Fourteenth.
Precinct 8—East Fourteenth and Twenty-third avenue (northwest corner).
Precinct 9—East Fourteenth and Twenty-third avenue (northeast corner).
Precinct 10—East Fourteenth and Twenty-third avenue (southeast corner).
Precinct 11—East Fourteenth and Thirteenth avenue (southwest corner).
Precinct 12—East Fourteenth and Sixth avenue (southwest corner).

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For sale by all druggists at $1.00 per full-sized box or by mail prepaid by the Rengo Co., 1256 Rengo Building, Detroit, Mich. The company will gladly send you a trial package free by mail if you write them direct to Detroit; no free packages at drug stores.

Rengo is for sale and recommended in Oakland by The Owl Drug Co., 13th and Broadway, Washington and 10th sts., 413 Thirteenth st., Sixteenth and San Pablo avenue.

'RIDICULOUS,' SAYS MAYOR OF CHICAGO

Refuses to Attend Banquet of Democrats for Taft's War Secretary

CHICAGO, March 6.—A banquet in honor of Jacob M. Dickinson, whose selection as Secretary of War is regarded as an honor to both Tennessee and Chicago, will be given by the Iroquois Club here Tuesday next. The club is a Democratic organization of which Mr. Dickinson has long been a member.

Former Mayor Dunne created a sensation in the club by refusing to attend. In a long letter he said Judge Dickinson had gone over to the Republican party and and that it was highly inconsistent, if not ridiculous, for a Democratic organization to extend its congratulations to a member who has abandoned the party.

Judge Dickinson flatly denied Mr. aDunne's allegation. "I have always been a Democrat and am still one," he said; adding after a moment, "although I did not vote for Bryan."

BARS SHERIFF FROM SECURING OWN JURY

REDWOOD CITY, March 6.—Judge Dooling of San Benito county, sitting for Judge Buck in the Superior Court in this city, today rendered a decision disqualifying Sheriff Robert S. Chatham of San Mateo county from exercising the function of his office to summon a special venire for the trial of Supervisors John M. Coleman and D. E. Blackburn, former Supervisors Joseph Dobenedetti and Julius Caesar Elkerenkotter and himself, all accused by the grand jury of misconduct in office.

This was the second point scored by the attorney-general's assistants, Raymond Benjamin and William H. Cobb, this week in the State's prosecution of the alleged graft cases in San Mateo county.

The third legal point sought by the prosecution—a similar disqualification of the coroner of the county, Dr. H. G. Plymire—was neither won nor lost.

LOS GATOS TO HAVE MAY DAY FESTIVAL

Interest in the *May Day* celebration, to be held at Los Gatos, is growing, and from the number of automobile parties being formed, there will be a vast collection of machines present. Every auto club about the bay has called runs to Los Gatos on May Day. The decorated parade will have a division of flower covered automobiles. There will be much to see on May Day in the little city nestling among the green hills. Special trains will run, with a reduced rate for the round trip.

TO ARREST BOLD COUNTERFEITERS

San Jose Policeman Follows Criminals in Merry Chase Around Bay

A chase which commenced in San Jose and continued through Berkeley, Oakland and San Francisco, bids fair to reach an end in Alameda some time tomorrow, when a deputy sheriff of San Jose will take into custody two of the cleverest counterfeit coin operators of any who have plied their trade on this coast in the past decade.

A month ago the police in San Jose were receiving reports from merchants of two men who were forcing upon them bogus $5 and $10 pieces of the latest design.

Passed New Coins

Unfamiliar with the new coins, the merchants were easy marks for the swindlers, who were fluent talkers, and succeeded in talking away all doubt the storekeeper would feel toward the worth of the coin.

The daring rascals kept steadily at their trade, however, until it became too hot for them. Thinking that a short travel in the country would shake off their pursuers, the two men rode to Berkeley. Here they again commenced their nefarious business, but one San Jose policeman, who determined that the men should be apprehended at all cost, followed them to Berkeley in the hope that he could capture them red-handed. The clever men immediately left the town. From there they went to San Francisco, thinking that in the large city they would easily elude the determined officer. But in the city they were given a short shrift, and detectives informed by the San Jose official followed them so persistently that they decided to leave the place and commence operations in Alameda. It was here that the deputy sheriff caught the men in the act of working their game on a merchant, and tomorrow their arrest will be made.

IMPERIAL SUITE FOR ROOSEVELT

Ex-President Will Sail to Naples in Royal Style Aboard Hamburg

NEW YORK, March 6.—When ex-President Roosevelt leaves New York on March 23 on the steamship Hamburg, of the Hamburg-American line, he will have the distinction of occupying the imperial suite which was used by the German emperor when he went to the Mediterranean during the winter of 1905-6. The Hamburg is due to arrive at Naples on April 4, when the first leg of Mr. Roosevelt's journey will be finished.

Fine Gymnasium Also

The imperial suite is situated on the upper promenade deck, on the starboard side of the liner, and includes a parlor, two bedrooms and two bathrooms. The rooms are very quietly furnished.

Although on shipboard, the ex-President will not lack means of taking vigorous exercise, for the Hamburg has a well-equipped gymnasium, with an electric "horse" and a rough-riding "camel." Any degree of jolting may be obtained by the manipulation of these devices, and Roosevelt, if he wishes, may repeat his famous ninety-mile ride while a thousand miles out at sea.

STOMACH MISERY WILL VANISH PROMPTLY

All Distress From an Upset Stomach and Indigestion Is Quickly Relieved.

When your stomach is weak or lacking in gastric juices anything that you eat, no difference what it is, will sour on your stomach, raise the bile and acids to cover your food like oil on water, causing Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Stomach nervousness and Belching of sour poisons, which produce foul odors, nasty taste, bilious headache, heartburn, intestinal gripping and make you an object of misery. This is stomach trouble which can not be overcome with ordinary digestive medicines. It is caused by fermentation of your food which will be remedied at once by Pape's Diapepsin, a preparation pleasant to take and as harmless as candy, though it will digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all the food you eat.

Indigestion is a result, not a cause of your trouble. If the stomach is sour and unhealthy, your food becomes tainted, and that's what is causing the indigestion and gas on stomach and other miseries. Pape's Diapepsin is an Antacid, most powerful digestive and thorough regulator for weak stomachs. These Triangules will digest any kind of food you eat and will cleanse the stomach and intestines in a natural way, which makes you feel fine five minutes afterwards.

Any good pharmacy here will supply you with a case of Pape's Diapepsin for 50 cents. Just reading about this remarkable stomach preparation will not help. You should go now and get a case. Put your stomach in full health and by tomorrow you will forget the misery of stomach trouble. Your case is no different from many others. It isn't stomach, nerves or catarrh of the stomach, or gastritis, or dyspepsia. It is food rotting—food fermentation—that's all—and takes about five minutes to overcome.

Armand Cailleau, Inc., Back to Grant Ave. and Geary St., San Francisco

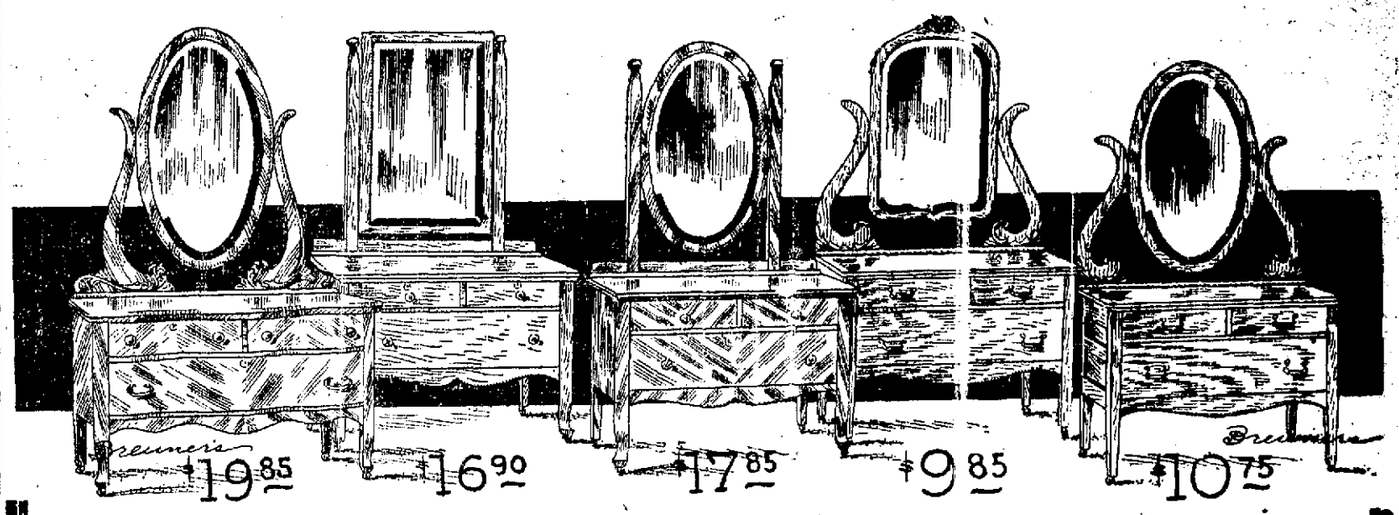
"Glad to see you down town again," is what a great many of the San Francisco merchants have heard lately. One by one the big merchants are gradually filling up the space of the down-town shopping district, which was temporarily deserted by reason of the great fire and earthquake.

The well-known firm of Armand Cailleau, Inc., located for 50 years before the fire at Grant ave. and Geary, will open to the public tomorrow one of the grandest stores of its kind on the Pacific Coast. The building is one of the nicest buildings in San Francisco for its size, and one that the owners can well be proud of. The building has the advantage of two entrances, one on Geary street and the main entrance on Grant avenue.

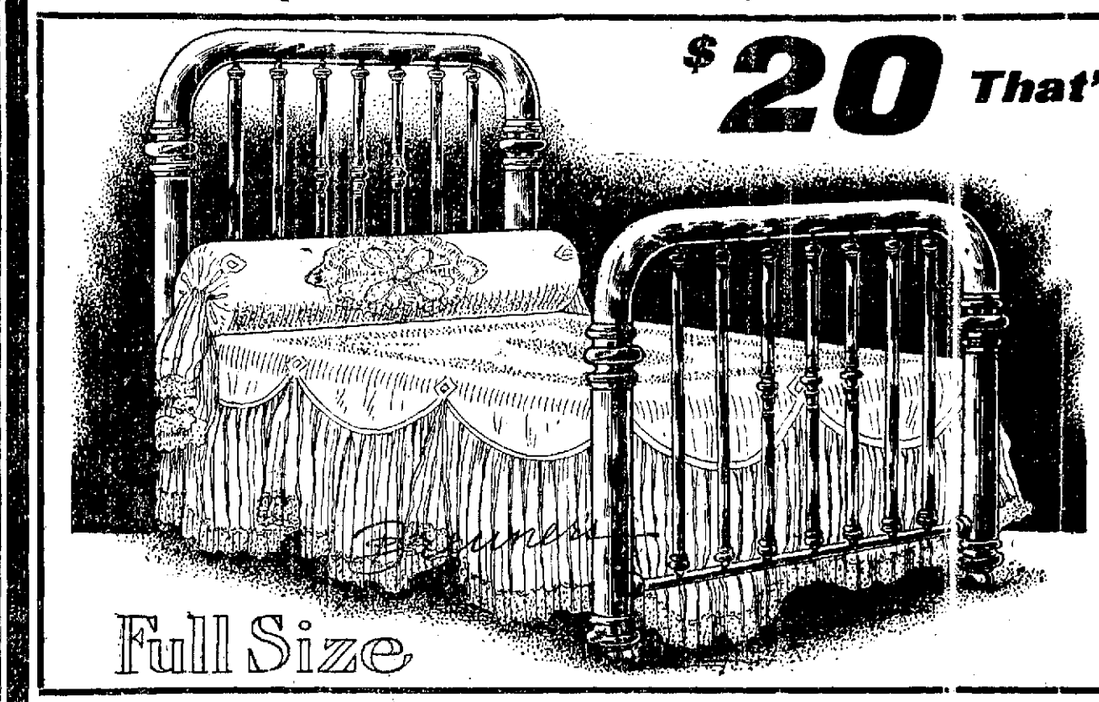
The firm will occupy three floors, besides a basement and mezzanine.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend the general opening tomorrow and inspect the newest fashions of ladies' wearings, apparel as San Francisco, which are carried exclusively by the firm of Armand Cailleau, Inc., in their spacious new quarters at the above address.

Is There a Princess In Your Home?



Here are five new patterns which we have just received and placed on show in our bedroom furniture department. They are constructed of solid golden oak and fitted with beveled, French plate mirrors—see them Monday.



$20 That's all

For a Solid Brass Bed

A bed that most dealers are selling for $50. Buying ability governs the selling price of any article, and the secret of our low prices is the fact that we are the largest retailers of furniture on the Pacific Coast and buy in carload lots.

You may have your choice of 2-4, 3-4 or 4-4 size

"Craftsman"

There is but one man in America that knows the true method of fuming oak—G-u-s-t-a-v, Gustav Stickley.

Gustav Stickley has made such a success with his "Craftsman" fumed oak furniture that every man by the name of Stickley has got the idea in his head that he, too, can make fumed oak—isn't his name Stickley?

The only protection you have from these invidious imitators is to insist on the furniture being "Gustav Stickley's Craftsman."

What Is Credit?

You want to give your wife a home, but have not sufficient cash to pay for it, so you come to Breuner's, pay a small amount down—to show good faith—and we do the rest.

We will transform a vacant house into a cozy little home for you and her, and each month you pay us about what you save in rent; in a short while it's paid for and you have a home, simply because Breuner's had faith in your ability to pay—that is what credit means at this big store!

Our Price $49.50

An awful howl has been made by some of the installment houses because we sell a Malleable Steel Range for $49.50, when they ask $65.00 to $85.00.

Why shouldn't they howl? We are getting the business and making a fair profit, too—at $49.50.

There is no better Malleable Range made than the Breuner Faultless, and we sell it on our "Money Back Policy," which means guaranteed satisfaction.

Oh, Yes! Just a word about the Bungalow

Mr. S. Frank Gun received the contract and is now building that beautiful 6-room $5000 Bungalow on Santa Ray Ave., in East Piedmont Heights. In the near future we will present it absolutely free to one of our customers. Full information at store.

MILLIONAIRES TO MAKE MODEL TENEMENTS

NEW YORK, March 6.—Forty-eight acres at Lincoln avenue and Rockford road, Jamaica, are to be used by Mrs. Russell Sage and other millionaires as a site for model tenement houses, to be put up as soon as a former tenement house commissioner, Robert W. Deforest, can perfect plans.

The impression is that Deforest will call for much more land to carry out his European ideas, and that the millionaires will let him have all he wants, providing it can be purchased at prices that will not make the houses a losing venture. It is the aim of Mrs. Sage and her associates to make every tenement house show a profit.

SAN FRANCISCO MANICURING COLLEGE

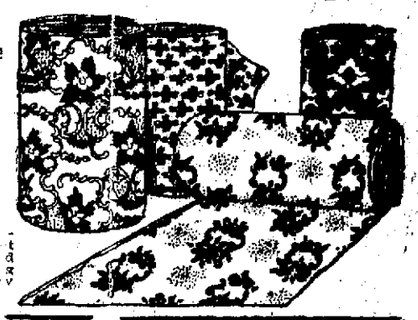
All work done at college prices. Manicuring taught by experts $5.00. Manicuring, facial massage, scalp treatment, hair dressing and shampooing taught thoroughly in six weeks for $25.00.

LITTLEFIELD & EVANS, Managers
510 Westbank Building, 830 Market St., S. F.
Phone—Douglas 3257.

Sale of Fiber Carpet

At the Cash Carpet House

35c Yard



Regular 50c-a-yard value. This Fiber Carpet wears like leather and is easily cleaned. A big new assortment of pretty patterns.

Carpets

Here are more sale prices:
Yard-wide Ingrain carpet in reversible patterns. Regular 90c grade for 50c
$1.00 Brussels, now— per yard 60c
$1.50 Wilton Velvet carpet, on sale, per yard $1.10

Rugs

9x12 Brussels Rugs, regular $18 value $10.50
9x12 Velvet Rugs, regular $22.50 value $15
9x12 Axminsters. $20

Last Days of Linoleum Sale

85c grade, per sq. yd 50c
90c extra heavy grade (12 ft. wide), per sq. yd 60c
$1.50 grade Inlaid linoleum, per sq. yd 95c
Biggest stock and lowest prices.

Extra Special Rug Bargain

Friday and Saturday Only

Axminster Rugs, 27x60 inches; $3 value for $1.95

KENSINGTON CARPET CO.
918 O'Farrell St., Below Van Ness, S. F.

WEALTHY MINER STILL MISSING

Police Are Trying to Solve Mysterious Disappearance of H. E. Monroe

Leaving a pretty young bride of a month, who has become distracted over the continued absence of her husband, H. E. Monroe, a wealthy mining operator of San Bernardino, dropped out of sight completely and now, nearly six days after his mysterious disappearance, not a word has been received of his whereabout.

Murder, hints the young bride.

"For some time Harry has been visited by the mining men of Alaska, who have been endeavoring to negotiate a loan," explains Mrs. Monroe, "but he has continually refused to do business with them and I fear that they have taken the matter into their own hands.

Draws $500

"Last Tuesday noon I left Harry at the San Francisco ferry to come to our house in this city, at 1153 Myrtle street. He was on his way to the Hibernia Bank, where he intended to draw $500 from his account. I have ascertained that he obtained this sum. Where he went to from the bank or what he has done since I do not know. I haven't heard a word from Harry in over five days."

A fact which forms a strong link in the chain of circumstantial evidence connecting the unknown miners with the disappearance of Monroe is that they have not called at the Monroe residence since the latter's absence was noted.

The local police are working on the case, as well as the San Francisco detectives, who were asked to assist in the search yesterday.

Had Monroe been a drinking man, which his wife emphatically asserts he is not, his disappearance might be solved by a visit to the different Turkish baths of this city and San Francisco, but the missing miner has never been known to indulge to excess in liquor, and the theory that he might have been celebrating his marriage is scouted.

Has Large Interests

Monroe is a partner of Tom Morehead, the well-known operator of San Bernardino, and a brother of Dr. Monroe of that city. He has two married sisters living in Los Angeles.

His mine holdings in this state are large. Since its arrival here he has completed negotiations for several thousand dollars' worth of machinery, which he intended to ship to his home town, to be used in opening up a new gold mine in which he is half owner, sixty miles from that town.

Monroe is described as heavy set, five feet seven inches in height, curly dark hair sprinkled with white at the temples. His complexion is florid.

STANDARD OIL CASE NEARS END

Second Trial of $29,000,000 Action at Chicago Devoid of Sensation

CHICAGO, March 6.—Federal officials are making every effort to bring to a speedy close the second trial of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, charged with the acceptance of railroad rebates. From the present outlook Federal Judge Anderson may give his decision in the case a week from next Wednesday. The sensational features of the $29,000,000 case are expected to be eliminated.

The greater part of the first trial was devoted to proving the shipments of oil to East St. Louis by the company as a basis of the charge of rebating. This will be eliminated in the present trial. The defendant will admit the shipments on a 6-cent rate.

Monday the government will place three witnesses on the stand in an effort to prove the publication of the tariff rates and the fact that they were disregarded.

LADIES' MUSLIN Skirts $1.39 each

On Sale Monday

White embroidered and lace trimmed Petticoats, extra deep flounces and made very full. See window display—$1.39.

Oakland's Most Progressive Store

ABRAHAMSONS

S. E. Cor. 13th and Washington Sts.

LADIES' MUSLIN Skirts $1.65 each

On Sale Monday

Values to $4.00. Special Monday, $1.65. A special lot of white Petticoats, made of good quality muslin, cluster tucks, 18-inch embroidery flounces. See window display—$1.65.

Millinery

Our first shipment of Gage Hats has just arrived and are very moderate in price, considering the style and make-up of the well-known Gage Hat; prices ranging from..... $6.00 to $12.00

We also call your attention to our full and complete line of Millinery, where you will find everything the modistes call fetching and becoming.

New Silks On Monday

A great special in new Spring Silks, which ordinarily sell for 85c to $1.00 a yard. No left over patterns nor odds and ends, but the latest styles in every respect. Messalines, poplins, louisines, phantom plaids, satin stripes, monotone stripes and checks in such colors as taupe, electric, catawba, jasper, brown, navy, fawn, bronze, silver, Danish blue, black etc. Just the kind for waists and nobby Spring suits. They will go quickly, so come early. On sale Monday at 65c yd.

Monday Specials

75c Double Bed Sheets for 59c Ea.

81x90; ready-made double bed leader Sheets; regular 75c value. Monday Special at 59c ea.

One hundred dozen hemmed Huck Towels, size 18x36 ins.; regular value 12½c. On sale Monday at $1.10 doz.

New Ginghams

Just received, 200 pieces of new Spring Amoskeag Dress Ginghams in all the newest patterns and bordered effects. Regular value 12½c yd. On sale, special at 10c yd.

$3.50 Bobbinet Curtains for $1.48 pr

Two hundred pairs Custom House Sample Curtains in the newest bobbinet ruffled effect, with lace edges and insertion and also braid effects in both white and Arabian; a very pretty bedroom or sitting-room curtain. Values up to $3.50. On sale Tuesday—not before—at $1.48 pair.

New Spring Suits

ON SALE MONDAY

Are arriving daily by express in all the beautiful new colorings of tan, gray, rose, green, blue and catawba. Both two and three-piece suits are shown. The materials are French serges, satin soleil, prunella cloth and other new fabrics. Prices $17.50 to $100.00.

$25.00 TAILOR SUITS

Our aim this season will be to give the best value at $25.00 that can be given. Call and inspect our line of $25.00 suits. All materials, styles and colors shown—Misses' and Ladies' sizes—Values up to $35.00 for $25

Great Sale OF FINE Embroideries

15,000 yards of Beautiful Embroideries at about and at less than one-half price—10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c for values worth to $1.50 yard.

The best embroideries at prices that will mean great saving for thrifty shoppers:

15,000 yards of Cambric, Nainsook and Swiss Edgings, Flouncings, Insertions, Bands, Beadings, etc., etc., worked in the handsomest designs on the best materials.

At 10c yd.—3000 yds. Cambric and Nainsook and Swiss Edgings, from 3 to 5 inches wide; insertions, beadings, veining, etc., etc. Values to 20c yd.

At 15c yd.—2000 yds. of wide Edgings, Bands, Insertions, Beadings, fancy Edge Beadings, in Cambric and Nainsook. Values to 35c yd.

At 20c yd.—2000 yds. Edgings, Bands, Beadings, Corset Cover Embroideries, in Nainsook and Swiss. Values to 40c yd.

At 25c yd.—3000 yds. of Wide Flouncing, Edging, All-over Embroideries, Corset Covering, Wide Bands and Insertions. Values to 65c yd.

At 35c yd.—5000 yds. Wide Flouncing, All-over Embroideries, Wide Edging, Bands, Corset Covering, etc., etc. Values to $1.00 yd.

One thousand yards of All-over Embroideries; values to $3.00 yard, Special $1.25 yard.

In conjunction with the above sale will place on sale 1000 yards of the highest grade of All-over Embroidery and Embroidery Waisting. Most handsome in design, of Florentine, Baby Irish and Grecian Key patterns. Values to $3.00 yd. Special, beginning Monday, $1.25.

FATHER GLEASON PREACHES ON "JUSTICE OF THE JUST"

Musical Services Sunday at St. Mary's

A LARGE crowd gathered last night at St. Mary's Church, Eighth and Jefferson streets, to listen to the ex-army chaplain, the Rev. Joseph M. Gleason, deliver a sermon on the "Justice of the Just." This is one of the series of discourses which Father Gleason is preaching during the Lenten season on the Wednesday and Friday evenings. The following is a synopsis of his remarks:

Text.—"The soul that sinneth, the same shall die; the son shall not bear the iniquity of the father, and the father shall not bear the iniquity of the son; the justice of the just shall be upon him and the wickedness of the wicked shall be upon him."

Ezechiel XVIII, 20.

"Men search the works of the geniuses of all ages for words of wisdom, in order that those sayings of the wise may be utilized in meeting the crosses of the intellectual world. From the deep thinkers of our own generation back through the centuries even to the philosophers of the older civilizations there is constantly going on a gleaning of the books that have been written. There is no library of any person of culture in which you will not find a cyclopedia of trite quotations. And these quotations embrace selections not only of the poets, orators and word painters of modern times, but they include select thoughts of the wise men of every generation, of all languages and all creeds. Those who make a special pretense of erudition at the present day quote pedantically the sayings of Oriental writers; and the Sacred Books of Hindus, Parsees, Buddhists and Confucianists are indiscriminately paraded to illustrate any point under discussion.

And yet the great reservoir of wisdom, greater than all others combined because its wisdom is divinely inspired, is overlooked by a modern world. The Bible, the word of God, was called so by the people of old because its name signifies the library. It is the collection of all our sacred books, historical, prophetical and poetical as well as those didactic works and those sublime letters that form the literary foundation of Christianity. This great storehouse of divine wisdom has been drawn on for thousands of years by Jewish and Christian leaders alike in order to impress their contemporaries, and rightly so. St. Paul, speaking of the old Hebrew Scriptures at a time when the New Testament was not yet compiled, used the expression 'All things that were written were written for our instruction.' And his saying is even more true today now that we have for our enlightenment his own apostolic letters and the four Gospel lives of Christ in addition to the Scriptures extant in his day. My talk last Wednesday evening was practically a word of introduction to the Lenten course I have programmed.

"Now in this, the initial discourse of the series, my purpose is to make clear the fundamental idea of personal responsibility. In doing so, I have introduced the subject, not by quoting the decision of any judge, however wise, nor by giving you the metrical verdict of Shakespeare, or Dante, or Milton, not by citing the theory and practice of Greek philosophers or Oriental theologians. No, I have simply opened a page of the Bible, the teaching of the old prophet Ezechiel, and I find there more congested wisdom of thought, though the expression of it be simple, than could be found in any other book.

Salvation of Soul

"The first idea, then, that we must grasp is this: The salvation of our souls is the most important business before us in this world. 'What doth it profit a man if he gain the whole world, yet lose his own soul?' Every man is the architect of his own fortune, according to an old saying, and truer even than this, we can affirm that every man is the architect of his own salvation. It is his work. No one else can do it for him. Others may direct and guide. They may counsel and assist him. God may give him all the grace possible to effect that end. But he must use his own tools and upon his own industry and application alone depends the result.

"If we ask the reason for this, the answer is plain and straightforward. Because a human being is a human being.

"There is an impassable chasm, intellectually speaking, between the most perfectly trained animal and a little child prattling in its innocence. What is the difference? Is it a matter of clothing? No, for there are tribes, as I know from my own travels, in the Andaman Islands and other places, that still roam the world in the state of absolute nudity. Is it that man alone walks erect? That even has been made a possible outcome in the training of certain animals. Is it language? Prof. Garner says that all animals have a language of their own, and he has written a book to prove that he understands the monkey tongue. A dozen other queries might be put with the inevitable answer in the negative.

Endowed With Reason

"To the question what distinguishes man from all other animals in creation, there is but one answer. A human being is endowed with reason, in other words he can think for himself. The little child is taught as its first lesson in Christian belief that Man is made according to the image of God, and that this likeness with God consists in the fact that he has a God-given intellect, that he has the faculty of memory and that he has a free will. To put the matter as plainly as possible, we have minds that God has given us to use, but we can do as we please. We can utilize our faculties or we can abuse them. We are just as free as God Himself.

"That understanding has been given us in order that we may realize the purpose of our creation, the knowledge and service of God in this world and our eternal happiness with Him after we pass through the portal of death.

Use of Free Will

"That free will has been given us in order that we may show ourselves firm against temptations and allurements in carrying out what our intellect makes known as our duty.

"If either understanding or free will is absent in a person's actions those actions lack responsibility to the degree in which they are missing. No one would think of making an insane person responsible for everything he does because the mind is not there. Last month a burly ruffian ravished a girl in San Rafael and left her for dead. No one would think of saying that poor girl had sinned because the will to do wrong was not present.

"But when understanding and will act in concert we have a responsible human action whether that action be in positive deed or only in word or thought.

Conscience Cannot Die

"The law of right and wrong does not depend on the written statutes of California or the United States, or of any other nation, ancient or modern. It is a natural law, the code written in the heart of man, the secret monitor that is never wanting in a human being. We call it conscience. By this conscience then is regulated the morality of our actions. Men in the progress of their depravity may try to stifle it. They may even exult in the beast that they have destroyed it. But none know better than the wrongdoer that conscience cannot be killed. And conscience alone is a proof to the world of the responsibility of each man for his thoughts, his words and his deeds.

"Our eternal destiny depends on the use we make of our intelligence and our will in carrying out the law of God in this world. We are free citizens of the freest government in the world today. Yet freedom and law go hand to hand amongst us. Free as we are, we must obey the law of the land or pay the penalty. To an even greater degree the law of God and the freedom of man will go together, and our future depends on our conformity to or disobedience of this law.

Blame Others

"Every man stands on his own record. Your father or mother, sisters or brothers, friends or advisers don't count. It is purely a matter of individual responsibility. There is no shifting it. We are taught that in the very first book of the Bible. When Adam was called to account for his transgression he pointed to Eve and said, 'She told me to do it. She is responsible.' Poor weak human nature, we never want to take the blame for what we do. But God could not be deceived as he cannot be deceived now by any such nonsense. And yet, although shifting responsibility was decided once for all by this case of Adam as invalid, irrelevant and incompetent, we constantly see the tendency to throw blame upon others. Look before you leap, but don't object if you come down hard.

"When your life comes to a close you and not your family or your friends are to be weighed in the balance and the justice of the just will be meted out. This is the great lesson to learn at the very threshold of that meditation that we are to follow out together during this Lent."

On Sunday next at 11 o'clock, Hammel's high mass in E will be rendered by the Oakland Conservatory of Music choir, under the direction of Professor A. Gregory. The soloists of the mass will be Miss Gena Wilkie, Miss Marie Spuller, Louis Spuller and Adolph Gregory. At the offertory Rossini's "Pro Peccatis" will be rendered by Carl Volker. In the evening there will be the rosary procession, the answering of queries from the question box and benediction. The Gloria Patris from Corini, Rossi, Schoepff and Adolph Gregory will be given. Miss Gena Wilkie will sing Mariani's "God, Thou Art Gracious." The benediction service will consist of Handel's "O Salutaris" and a Tantum Ergo by Spohr. Grove street, for L. D. Voice.

95 PASSENGERS SAIL FOR NORTHERN PORT

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—Ninety-five passengers sailed today for Seattle in the Alaska-Pacific liner Watson. Delay of about two hours was occasioned because of large freight shipments, and the Watson did not go out until the middle of the afternoon. The cargo amounted to more than 2000 tons.

This afternoon the Toyo Kisen Kaisha liner Nippon Maru, with passengers and Oriental freight, will be due from China, Japan and Hawaii.

The Pacific Mail steamer San Jose is scheduled to arrive here Monday from the Isthmus of Panama and many way ports.

For Honolulu and the principal ports of Japan and China, calling also at Manila, the Pacific Mail liner Korea, Captain Sandberg, is to leave Pier 42, foot of King street, at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Passengers and freight will fill the big steamer to her utmost capacity.

The five-mast schooner W. H. Marston, Captain Hersey, came to the harbor today, twenty-one days from Hilo, with a cargo of 33,240 bags of sugar. For the last four days off port the big schooner was in heavy northwest gales and rough seas.

The British ship Blackbraes, Captain Laurenson, 144 days from Rotterdam, with a general cargo of merchandise, arrived this evening.

From San Diego and principal intermediate ports the steamer Queen is to arrive tomorrow morning, bound for Puget Sound. The steamer will leave Broadway Wharf at 11 o'clock tomorrow night, with many passengers.

The steamer Curacao, Captain Paulsen, will sail at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning for Ensenada and other Mexican ports.

DIDN'T STEAL ELECTRICITY

But paid good money for it, so called in the electrical engineer of the Century Electric Co. and stopped waste power. 1376-77 Broadway.

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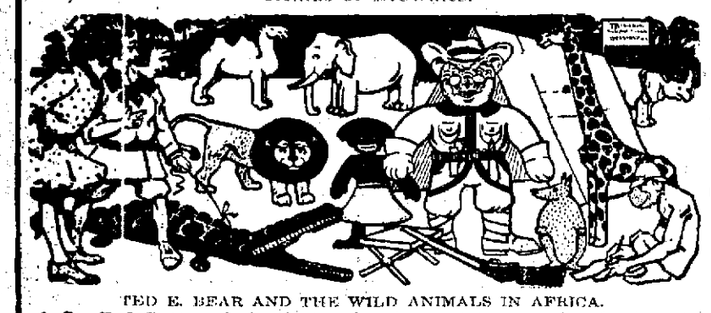

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Better than that even, you can also have the big cotton toys, Ted E., the African Hunter and "Fennel Naturalist", Jocko, the secretary, Billy Possum, Gop, the Elephant, Rhinoceros, The Lion, The Crocodile, The Giraffe, etc., etc., and the Hot Little Hottentot Tot, all large and lifelike, right in your own playroom.

The cardboard story-toys are free. You can get them by taking the Pictorial Review every month. The large stuffed cotton and animal-toys can be secured separately. Ordinarily if you bought them in toy stores, stuffed toys like these would cost you $1 each. We sell them for 25c. They are all full colored and large. Ted E. for instance is twenty inches high, he has a hat and leggins—and with him we will send you, FREE, paper patterns with which you can make hunting suits in as many colors as you choose.

Start now. Don't let your little neighbors be first. Be first yourself. Boys like the play-stories and the story-toys just as much as girls do. Get this month's issue of the Pictorial Review from your newsdealer, or from any Pictorial Review agent. If your dealer is sold out, get him to order the Pictorial Review for you. If he can't get it for you, send 15c to the address below for this month's issue. Don't miss the start of the stories, and the first of the free cardboard cut-out story-toys that are part of each issue. This month it is Ted E. with guns, weapons, tent, camp furniture, etc.

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SWEET SINGER WILL BE HEARD

MISS EDITH MOTE SMITH
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Edith Mote Smith Soon to Give a Recital of Masterpieces

In a repertoire of masterpieces, Miss Edith Mote Smith, one of the gifted young vocalists of this city, is planning to make a concert tour. In the near future the sweet singer will be heard in musical and social circles.

Miss Smith's formal bow in the concert world is looked forward to with much interest by music lovers. At private affairs Miss Smith has frequently been heard. Recently she made her debut in San Francisco, where she rendered a program of varied music. No date has as yet been set for the local concert to be given by Miss Smith.

MOTT RIGHT MAN IN RIGHT PLACE

Elmhurst Resident Predicts Great Future for Oakland and Its Mayor

Elmhurst, March 5, '09

The Voters of Oakland, Gentlemen:

While I have no vote or investments in Oakland I can foresee where its future is to be. With my fifty-seven years of life behind me I feel able to look into the future of a city like Oakland, or a town like Elmhurst, and make a true picture of what they may be with the right kind of a man at the head—one who works for the town's or city's good. Not a man as a mayor only for the salary; one with moss on his back. I consider with Mr Mott in the mayor's chair for two years more Oakland will double in its population. If he worked as hard for himself (in real estate) as he does for the city of Oakland, he could make from $25,000 to $50,000 a year.

If I could get Mayor Mott at the head of one tract of land in Elmhurst he and myself could clear fully $200,000 in twelve months' time.

There is not another man on this side of the bay who can be secured who will work day and night as Mayor Mott did. I witnessed his speech at Elmhurst trying to get this town to join Oakland. If it had done as he asked it to do, we would of had a sewer system installed by this time. The population would be double what it is now.

My advice is for every voter to vote for Mott. I have no axes to grind, but Mott will get a greater Oakland with a half million population (that's quite sure), and he will sleep very little till he gets it. Respectfully,

DR V S HALPRUNER,
Ivy avenue and East Fourteenth street, Elmhurst

BOARD DISREGARDS PIPE BID PROTESTS

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—The protest against opening next Wednesday the bids for supplying the city with castiron pipe for the proposed bond issue auxiliary water system arrived today in the shape of the following telegram, addressed to the Board of Public Works:

"New York, March 6, 1909.

"I protest against opening bids for castiron pipe on March 10. Letter following.

"THOMAS A LEWIS,
"Representing: D. Y. Stewart & Co., Glasgow."

The protest is based on the proposition that it is not fair to would-be bidders located at a distance to require the bids to be submitted next Wednesday, since those competitors have not had time to enable them to bid understandingly. This contention, the officials of the Board of Public Works and the city engineer's office hold, is not a sound one.

President Day stated that for more than six months everyone interested in the pipe contract has had ample opportunity to find out all about it, and a great mass of information has been sent out in answer to inquiries from Scotland, as well from centers of the pipe manufacturing industry in this country, and agents of pipe firms have been in this city for months.

Under no construction of language could it be held, President Day maintained, that everyone concerned was not being given a perfectly fair show so far as the furnishing of needed information was concerned.

Assistant City Engineer Coninck, acting head of the bureau of engineering in the absence of Engineer Manson, made statements corroborating those of President Day. The protest probably will be disregarded.

STEWART ORCHESTRAL CLUB'S NEXT CONCERT

The Stewart Orchestral Club, Alexander Stewart conductor, which gave its first concert with such great success in January, is now rehearsing for its second concert to be given either the last of April or the first part of May.

The orchestra has received several valuable acquisitions to its active membership since the first concert.

New Black and White Checks

Just arrived in the Dress Goods Section:

Black and white checks will be one of the season's favorites. We are now showing a very large collection of this material from the very fine pin checks to the large half-inch block patterns, in grades ranging

50c, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 yd

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Two Wash Goods Specials

Never such selling, never such satisfaction as in our large Wash Goods Section. Novelties continue to arrive daily.

Two special lines are—new figure Batiste in the best colors and patterns, also side-band effects; Special value, yard 12½c

Dublin Repp, an ideal tub suiting with monotone stripe; leading colors. Special, at yard 19c

Our Grand Inaugural

Exhibit of Spring's Newest Offerings

IF any there be who doubt the interest of the feminine world in the new fashions of a new season, a sight of the crowds who are thronging here these first opening days would quickly mend their views.

Every woman seems hungry for a knowledge of the new things in fashions, colors, shapes, patterns and materials, and the gentler sex is turning out in full force to see the brilliant and beautiful array of merchandise which has made this store the very home of Spring.

And there's no question about the high approval of our selections. We hear nothing but expressions of admiration and delight on every hand. But we expected nothing less. In all our years of successful catering to the tastes of the discriminating and the purses of the economical, this store has never held so much for beauty lovers and economizers as now. Again we welcome you.

New Styles in Women's Suits

COME greet the new suits and try to resist them! Very winsome are the fabrics—French serges, broadcloths, prunellas, panamas, smart suitings and lustrous satin-finish materials. Wonderfully charming are the colors—soft, subdued and exquisite—smoke taupe, ashes of roses, white, champagne, reseda, peacock, Copenhagen, apricot, navy, canard and other shades new this spring. Full of grace are the styles. Coats are both long and medium, mostly hipless models—skirts are long again.

But why should we attempt to tell you of what you are invited to see? There's an added source of delight in the prices.

These beautiful garments are in Empire, Princess and other models; the swellest of the season's two and three-piece suits.

Misses' Styles Priced from $14.50 to $35.00
Ladies' Styles Priced from $17.50 to $150

A Special Value at $25.00

We have made a special and very successful effort to secure a selection of Spring Suits of superlative value to sell at the popular price of $25.00. At this price we offer you a choice of over 100 models in smart two and three-piece suits in all Spring's best shades.

Dress Trimmings---Rich, Beautiful

The Spring display of Dress Trimmings represents the cream of the world's best makers in this line. Our buyers have searched through the magnificent exhibits of the leading imported and domestic Trimmings, and from them have secured an assortment without precedent.

We will not attempt to describe—but we most cordially invite—for this is pre-eminently a line that only seeing can do justice to.

Just a few brief suggestions:

Beautifully embroidered bands on foundations of filet, brussels and hexagon net; solid colorings, combinations of all late shades; also two-tone novelties; exclusive and original patterns, 2½ ins. to 12 ins. wide—
30c to $12.50 yd

No ballroom will ever be graced with more elaborate costumes than those that can be designed from the magnificent jeweled trimmings we are now displaying. On foundations of net, gold and silver, artists have worked out rich and exclusive designs in stifta and bugle beads, chenille, silk fibre, gold, silver, steel and metal cords and braids—
$2.50 to $18 yd

Incomparable display of richest of gold, steel and silver cloths, plain or fancy; also gold and steel nets, plain or embroidered; 24 inches wide—
$2.50 to $7.50 yd

Richest of Persian braids in solid colors and limitless array of combinations; one-fourth to 3 inches wide—
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Scintillating galloons, bands, medallions, drop ornaments, fringes and all-overs elaborated with spangles, jet, crystal, opal, gold, silver, steel, coral and turquoise. Many of the richest combinations of colorings and jeweling ever seen, widths from 1 to 9 inches—
35c, 50c and to $11.50 yd

All-overs in Persian effects, 27 inches wide—
$1.75 to $8.50 yd

Fringes and drop ornaments in silk and cotton; crochet, fancy jeweled combinations, cord and satin effects, in colors and shades, styles and lengths sufficient to meet every demand of this most exacting season

Stamped Material

Complete Outfits, in Packages

Some of the most popular items today in our Art Department are stamped package goods. They comprise corset covers, lingerie hats, drawers, center pieces, pillow tops, skirt holders, opera bags, collar bags, shirt waists, aprons and table scarfs.

The stamped piece with the necessary material, to work with, all done up together in packages ready to work on; saves time in selecting goods and the patterns are very carefully prepared. All at popular prices.

Spring's Newest Messalines

Just arrived in the Silk Section, two beautiful numbers.

A complete color range of novelty Messalines, in Navy, Reseda, Brown, Taupe, Peacock, with self-colored stripes; also navy and brown, with white hairline stripes of different widths; 27 in wide **$1.00 Yard**

36-in. satin Messaline; has a beautiful high lustre, and of durable weight, especially adaptable for Princess Gowns; exceptionally good value; in shades of light pink, champagne, Copenhagen, Peacock, Navy, Brown, Myrtle, Black, one yard wide ..... **$1.50 yard**

Exhibit of Spring Ribbons

You will find here one of the most complete Ribbon Departments of the West. Just at present it is overflowing with bright, crisp new Ribbons, rich both in quality and patterns.

Here you can buy any shade or quality at any price you may wish to pay.

4-inch Taffeta, all shades ..... **15c yd**
5-inch Dresden Ribbon ..... **25c yd**
5½-inch Moire Ribbon, all shades ..... **25c yd**
5½-inch Satin Taffeta Ribbon, all shades ..... **25c yd**

New Net Waists

of Special Value

The very spirit of Spring is held captive in the lovely new Net Waists that we have to show you.

A few words about some beauties specially priced **$5.95**

Tailored Net Waist, entire front and sleeves tucked, neck and cuffs finished with ruffle of chiffon, fancy knotted silk braid buttons. Persian ribbon around neck finished with bows and tassels; in cream, gray, navy and green; open back—Special value **$5.95**

White Net and Lace Waists; yoke of crossbar net; two wide bands of lace down front edged with messaline band; 3 rows of Valenciennes lace from shoulders to waist line; sleeves trimmed to match. A great value at **$5.95**

Ladies' Spring Hosiery

When we have said that the same reliable manufacturers who have supplied us with the hosiery upon which our reputation for this line has been built, have again contributed of their best, enough is written. Some ideas:

Ladies' Tan Hosiery, the new and popular effects in either plain or lace boot to match this season's footwear ..... **3 pairs for $1.00**

Ladies' Lace Hosiery in black, white, tan and all the very newest colorings of the season to match any and all costumes ..... **50c pair**

Ladies' Silk Lisle Hose in plain, black or tan, the favorite "Onyx" brand ..... **50c pair**

Children's Stockings

Children's Durable Hosiery in silk, lisle, black, white and tan; rare wearers **25c pair**

Infants' and Children's Fancy Sox, large assortment of all the new plaid tops; sizes 4 to 8½; great wearing capacity ..... **25c pair**

Opening Display of Spring Millinery

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday March 9, 10, 11,

You are cordially invited to visit our opening exposition of authoritative Spring vogue in Millinery.

The ideas, accepted of Fashion, in Paris, New York and London are artistically exploited side by side with the best work of our own clever modistes.

While this is acknowledged to be a season of unusual freedom in size, shape and designing of smart hats, you will find that the "extreme" fad has been adroitly tempered with a pleasing conservatism, making it easily possible to satisfy all tastes.

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY OF

New Bed Pillows

Purest of feathers, liberal filling, wonderful variety of tickings and generous values are the leading features of our big, new stock of Bed Pillows.

Soft, downy and sweet; those pillows are of right size and come in grades at
75c, $1, $1.50 and to $3.50 each

Baby Pillows, specially fashioned for little heads— **$1.00 and $1.25 each**

Ladies' Spring Vests

An unprecedented variety among which are:

Good, plain white mercerized Vests with low neck sleeveless; excellent value at 25c.

An excellent Lisle Vest, with neat crocheted yoke; big assortment of patterns **50c**

A wide variety of directly imported Swiss Vests; elegant lot of hand-crocheted patterns. Grades from **50c to $2.00 each**

DIRECT PRIMARY BILL WAS SENT TO ASSEMBLY TODAY

Majority Report Contains Much Discussed Amendment, Providing for Advisory Vote on Senator.

(BY FREDERICK S. MYRTLE)

SACRAMENTO, March 6.—The direct primary bill was sent into the Assembly today by the committee on election laws, accompanied by two reports, of the majority and minority in the committee, respectively.

The majority report contains the much-talked-of amendment providing for an advisory vote by legislative districts upon United States Senator. The minority report asks the Assembly to reject this amendment and restore the original provisions for a State-wide primary vote by parties on the United States Senatorship and for the pledging of State legislative candidates to be bound by the result thereof.

The majority report bears the following signatures of members of the committee: Walter Leeds, Los Angeles, chairman, Grove L. Johnson, Sacramento, T. D. Johnson, Contra Costa; J. N. O. Rech, Los Angeles, William Pugh, San Francisco; W. J. Webber, Kings county.

Webber, a few days ago, was a member of the combination formed for the purpose of opposing all amendments to the bill, but since then a majority of the Assembly has voted to cut a slice off Fresno county and give it to Kings, and it is said Webber is willing to exchange courtesies. However, he will speak for himself in due time.

The minority report was handed in by Assemblyman E. C. Hinkle of San Diego and at present bears only his signature. Hinkle states, however, that this morning he received a message from A. M. Drew, who is at his home in Fresno, promising him his support in the fight against the all-important amendment. The minority report reads:

"Mr Speaker: The undersigned members of the Assembly committee on election and election laws, being a minority of said committee, who have had under consideration Senate Bill No. 3 as the same passed the Senate and was reported to the Assembly by Senate message, beg leave to report as follows:

"We are unable to agree with the majority of said committee inasmuch as the majority report changes the policy of said bill, making the vote upon candidates for United States Senator advisory by assembly and senatorial districts and striking from the bill the pledges provided for candidates respectively for the Senate and Assembly. We favor the retention of the provisions for United States Senator according to the original draft of the bill as the same passed the Senate, and therefore respectfully recommend to the Assembly that said Senate bill No. 3 as the same passed the Senate do pass the Assembly, with the following amendments, and we further recommend that the report of the majority be amended by substituting the minority report for said majority report."

The amendments referred to are of a purely clerical character and do not affect the bill in any material feature.

Assemblyman Hinkle makes this statement of his position:

"The acceptance of Senate bill No. 3, with the provisions for United States Senator as passed by the Senate and now presented to the Assembly, I believe, is for the best interests of the people of California, it being late in the session to make any radical changes in the bill."

Hinkle, Juilliard of Sonoma, Polsley of Tehama and Preston of Mendocino county are spoken of as working hard among their fellow assemblymen to save the direct primary bill from amendment. They are reported to be gaining votes daily and to have already established a line-up that will give warm battle to the combination favoring the amendments. The fight will take place when the bill comes up for second reading, probably on Monday.

The man who will boast how his family discharged the cook is a reckless liar; the cook always discharges the family.

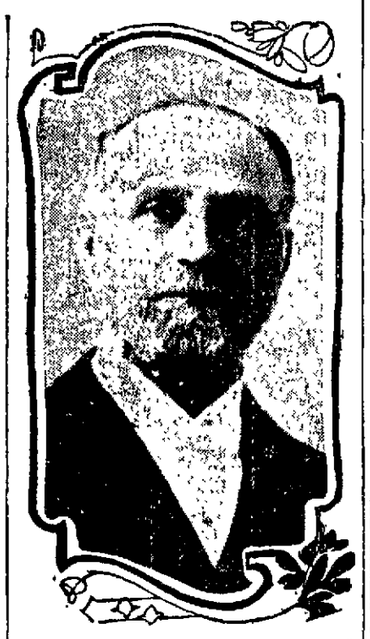
What surprises a woman is not how beautiful her children are, but how much more beautiful they are than anybody else's.

A girl can always fool a man about what she thinks of him, because he does it himself.

OAKLAND FORGES TO FRONT AMONG IMPORTANT CITIES

BOOST POLICY WORKS WONDERS

H. Morton, Local Jeweler, Tells How Spirit of Progress Strikes Easterners



H. MORTON.

H. Morton has returned from a six weeks' trip to the East. While away he visited Chicago, Kansas City and Denver, but spent the greater part of his time in New York.

"I visited New York's jewelry factories, most of which are situated in Newark, one of the city's suburbs, and was more impressed with the wonderful strides in the manufacture of jewelry than I have ever been before. It has been reduced to a fine art, and I am not alone in the opinion that the day is not far distant when the process of manufacturing precious stones will be discovered," said Morton while discussing his trip yesterday.

He expresses surprise at the rapid strides toward world-wide recognition Oakland is making.

"It wasn't so long ago," he said, "that when you said you were from Oakland people in the East looked puzzled and then inquired vaguely, 'Where?'

"You had to explain that Oakland was located near San Francisco and we rather lost our individuality. The fact that the name of our city now appears to be about as familiar to most Easterners as Los Angeles or San Francisco itself speaks volumes, in my opinion, for the commercial spirit and enterprise which seems to have claimed us for its own."

Morton's trip was purely a business one and he was not accompanied by Mrs. Morton.

OAKLAND MUST SELECT MOTT, DECLARES PROMINENT PHYSICIAN

Editor of THE TRIBUNE—In response to the rather peculiar request of your reporter this afternoon for an expression of my views on things political in this city, I wish to say first that said request was somewhat flattering to my sense of self esteem.

I do not know much about politics and I have no partisan bias. I could not tell a Democrat from a Republican on the street corner. However, I read the newspapers once in a while and cannot avoid entering into the spirit of the pros and cons on local issues.

Old Resident

Besides, I have been a resident of Oakland for a considerable number of years and have some little interests here. And, after all, it is perhaps form this latter standpoint that one can get the best view of the situation.

If the fates have it that there is to be a change of administration, I can not avoid the conviction that the fame of this Athens of the Pacific as a literary center already well established is secure for evermore.

The campaign of literature of the new aspirants, taken as a whole, is certainly a gem. But particularly so those brillian epigrams which they have deemed worthy of a place upon the fences—"Washington, Roosevelt, Mott!"

In the absence of argument our votes are to be caught by ten-cent theater jokes.

To be serious, I should have preferred to have seen Mayor Mott stand *upon his record and upon his dignity*, rather than bandying contradictions for the past week or two with aspiring political nonentities who have not the shadow of a legitimate claim upon our confidence.

Must Have Mott

In the face of all the facts, it is incomprehensible to me that the people of Oakland should think for a moment of dispensing with the services of Mayor Mott or those of his efficient co-workers while they can command them. But, unfortunately, cities, like individuals and nations, for that matter, sometimes have their mental balance disturbed by excessive prosperity. The people of Oakland should know how to let well enough alone. We have had in the past more than our reasonable share of graft talk and political mud-slinging, and if we now wish to enter upon another and perhaps extended period of the same kind of thing, then it is up to us.

J. MAHER, M. D.

Fat Reducing Extaordinary.

Margaret Knolly

SLENDER Margaret Knolly, now, if you please. The fascinating leading lady of the Bijou, now more fascinating than ever, astonished all her friends on Broadway the other day by presenting to their admiring gaze a svelt and willowy form in place of the plump, not to say fat, outlines with which she gaily sailed away to new triumphs and foreign shores last January. After a good deal of diplomatic cross examination from interested fat acquaintances the secret was cautiously whispered to a few dear friends, with the result that everybody knows it now. It was not exercise nor fasting, nor sickness, nor worry about her new venture that had brought about this wonderful willowy change in the charming Margaret, no, none of these; nothing but a simple mixture which all good druggists are familiar with and can supply at small cost, to-wit: One half ounce Marmolin, one-half ounce Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic, and three and one-half ounces Peppermint Water. "Grown folks need a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime," explained the now slender Margaret. "It is simply wonderful. It takes off the fat quickly, as much as a pound a day, and keeps it off. You can eat what you like, too. In that respect it is unlike anything of the kind I ever heard of, and besides it has another splendid feature—it is entirely harmless, and will not cause wrinkles. I think it is about as essential a toilet article for the woman who is fat and wants to get thinner as face powder. In order to get the best results, however, you should buy the Marmolin in the original package and mix it in with the other two ingredients after you get home."

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3-4 rooms and baths, $10.00 and upward. Booklet on request.

GO TO OLD WORLD FOR VAUDEVILLE

Sullivan & Considine Will Extend Circuit and Secure the Latest Novelties

Three men prominent in theatrical circles on the Pacific Coast left yesterday on a business trip that will consume the greater part of the next two months and carry them to London and the continent before their return.

Messrs. E. A. Homan and Abe Cohn of San Francisco and John Considine of Seattle, all interested in the Sullivan & Considine circuit of vaudeville houses on this coast, made up the party, the object of their trip being the addition of several more cities on the circuit. Just now this famous circuit is representative of a larger number of houses than any other, the performers being assured of a longer engagement than under any other one management.

Booking Offices Abroad

Arrangements will be made in London, Paris, Berlin and Vienna for the opening of booking offices where the latest European novelty acts can be secured and booked direct for continuous performances in Sullivan & Considine houses from the Atlantic to the Pacific. While Mr. Cohn and party are in Vienna they will visit Mr. Cohn's nephew, Albert David Cohn, the talented son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Cohn of Oakland, who is making such a name for himself in the musical circles of the old world. Gus Cohn, the popular manager of the Bell Theater, the local house of the Sullivan & Considine circuit, who vouchsafed the above information, states that with the addition of the several new houses in the Middle West now contemplated there will be an appreciable amount of the best vaudeville talent in the world booked over this circuit, the length of engagements assuring the highest class acts in the business.

HEAVY SENTENCE CONFRONTS BRUTE

Jury Finds Theodore Rigby Guilty of Assaulting 11-Year-Old Girl

"Guilty as charged" was the verdict brought in by a jury in Superior Judge Brown's court yesterday afternoon when the case of Theodore Rigby, for attempting a criminal assault, was brought to a dramatic end by the accusation of Rigby by his intended victim, little 11-year-old Ethel Carr.

The prosecution had reserved its most important witness for the close of the trial and when the time came the lass was led to the witness stand to describe the manner in which the defendant had attempted to assault her.

But despite this strong finish and the impression it must have left on the minds of the jurors, they spent several hours in deep debate before the verdict of guilty was finally arrived at.

It was in last October that Rigby, who roomed with the parents of the Carr girl, in the Piedmont district, attacked the lass. Fortunately he did not succeed in his designs and before he could make a second attempt he was arrested and brought to jail.

Sentence to Come

Rigby's preliminary hearing in police court occupied little time, but the Superior Court proceedings were longer, though they brought the same result. The man's guilt was established to the satisfaction of twelve men and tomorrow morning Rigby will again be brought before Superior Judge Brown, this time to hear his sentence.

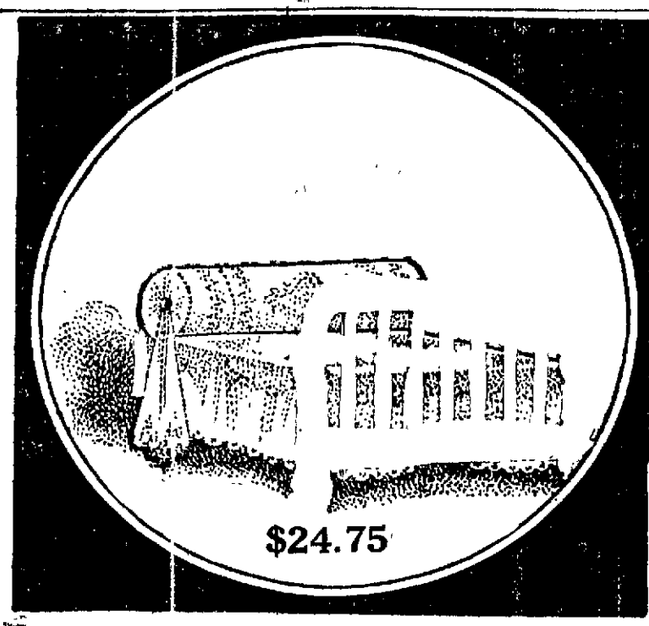
The maximum penalty which can be meted out to the prisoner is fourteen years.

IRELAND SENDS 16,341 TO NEW YORK IN 1908

NEW YORK, March 6.—Figures issued by the Irish Immigrant Society show that during 1908 there landed at New York from Ireland 16,341 persons. Of that number 6990 were males and 9351 females; 1078 were under 14 years of age, 14,579 were between 14 and 45 years old and 684 over 45 years of age. More than half remained in the city, while the rest were scattered throughout the United States. The immigrants brought with them in cash nearly $500,000. During the year ninety were barred from landing.

SELLS OUT INTEREST IN THE RECREATION PARK

ELMHURST, March 6.—B. Magnesson, promoter and general manager of the Elmhurst Recreation Park, has sold out his interest in the enterprise.



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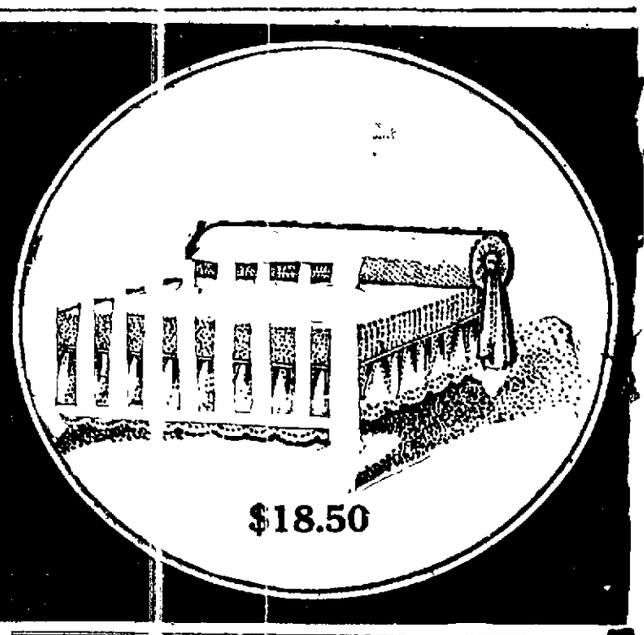

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It is most liberal because we require a smaller deposit than any other house in existence and give you a greater length of time in which to pay your bill.

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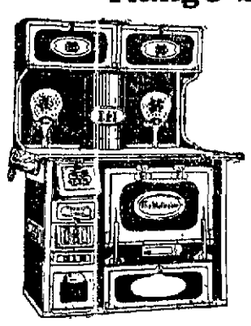

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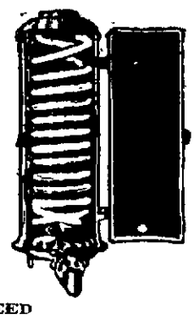

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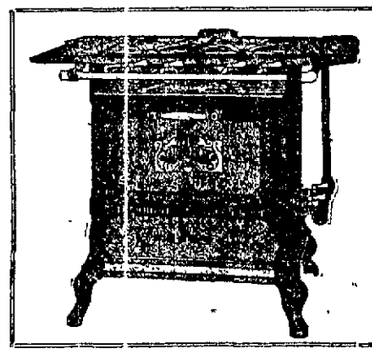

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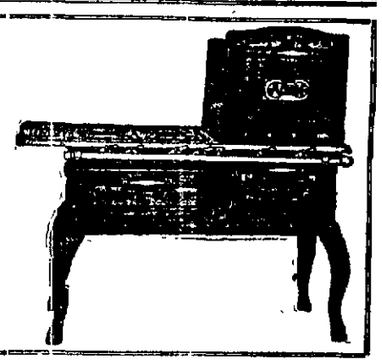
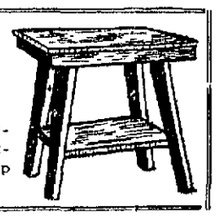


Parlor Table, $2.95



$5.00 value golden oak; attractive, durable; top 24x24 inches.

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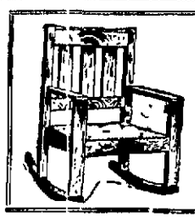

Mission Rocker, $4.85

$7.50 value, weathered oak, leather seat; attractive and substantial.

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GIRL SLAIN AND BODY PLACED ON RAILWAY TRACK

INJUNCTION TO STOP CHURCH SCANDAL

Fashionable Chicago Congregation Is Torn by Row Over Pastor

ACQUAINTANCE WITH ONE OF FLOCK STARTED IT

Minister Misinterpreted Woman's Spiritual Confession to Mean a Worldly Affair

CHICAGO, March 6.—Charges and counter-charges alleging scandal, the invoking of the courts to prevent by injunction their further dissemination, the resignation of one pastor and two church trials to come, are the striking features of a church war now raging in two fashionable Chicago churches.

Stinging criticism of the Rev. Edward B. Crawford, pastor of the Woodlawn Park Methodist Episcopal Church, who caused the Rev. John D. Leek, pastor of the Western-avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, to resign because of his acquaintance with Mrs. Mary Lavender, was contained in a bill for injunction filed in the Superieor Court today to stop the distribution of alleged scandalous statements at the Western-avenue Methodist Church. The names of Mrs. Lavender and Mr. Leek are not mentioned in the bill. John Lavender, husband of the woman and a trustee of the Woodlawn Park Church, was the complainant.

Betrayed Confessional

One paragraph says:

"But the said Crawford, writhing in the evil consciousness of a malicious and corrupt distortion and betrayal of the said confession, now by the unlawful use of the functions of the said church organization, seeks to use the prestige of the official board to exculpate himself from the ignoble predicament into which his dastardly distortion and betrayal of said confession have placed him before a majority of the said membership, regardless of the jeopardy to the property and membership of said church."

The trustees and stewards of the church are made defendants to the suit as well as Dr. Crawford. Mr. Lavender reviews the incidents which have caused an upheaval in two of the churches in the Chicago district of the Methodist Episcopal Church as follows.

"During February or January, 1909, E. B. Crawford, as pastor of said church, in conversation with a certain woman, received from said woman, who supposed she was conversing in confidence between pastor and communicant, certain statements regarding her spiritual condition, experience and progress, but which he interpreted to be misconduct between said woman and a certain minister, and by threatening to publish said alleged confession, caused the resignation of said pastor.

"On March 4, said Crawford, as president of the board of the church, appointed five members partisan to himself to hear the said alleged confession, and they, by his direction, agreed to distribute printed copies of the confession with the official approval and ratification of the official board. The common substance of the statement was that Mr. Crawford justified in using the confession to cause the resignation of said minister.

Charge Untrue

"This complaint charges that the alleged confession admitting the relations between the said woman and minister is untrue."

Judge Barnes refused to grant the restraining order because the Rev. Mr. Crawford and the trustees and stewards of his church had not been notified that action had been brought involving them.

In the meantime the churches are divided into factions eagerly awaiting the result of the church trials of Rev. Crawford and Mrs. Lavender, both set for the coming week.

3000 Men Idle; 12,000 May Strike

LONDON, March 6.—The South Wales coal industry is threatened with a big strike, which may effect 12,000 men. The trouble began today with 3000 men idle. A general strike would seriously disturb Atlantic shipping.

Col. Helen Gould To Receive 3000 Sailors of Fleet

COL. HELEN GOULD.

NEW YORK, March 6.—Miss Helen Gould who bears the title "Colonel," will extend a personal welcome home to 3000 sailors of the globe-circling battleship fleet. She will hold two receptions at the naval branch of the Y. M. C. A., near the Brooklyn Navy Yard, one tomorrow afternoon and the other Wednesday. Every sailor aboard the warships now in New York waters is invited to attend. The Ohio and Rhode Island are already in the yard, to undergo repairs. The Nebraska and Connecticut will arrive on Tuesday or Wednesday.

Prior to the Wednesday afternoon reception a matinee will be held in the auditorium of the naval branch of the Y. M. C. A., to which the jackies are invited.

At the conclusion of this meeting Miss Goould will receive the men in the "Den," a social suite on the second floor of the Association building. Miss Gould will be assisted in the reviewing line by Mrs. Russell Sage, and the committee on management of the naval branch of the Y. M. C. A.

The jackies, after their presentation to Miss Gould, will be invited to an afternoon tea, and thence to an inspection of the three upper floors of the new addition to the building. These three upper floors contain 160 sleeping rooms.

The reception was made possible by a gift of $300,000 from Mrs. Russell Sage.

PORTRAIT LIBELS JOHN SHARP-W.

So Colleagues Permit Retiring Congressman to Retire Without Memento

WASHINGTON, March 6.—When John Sharp Williams, for six years minority leader, left the House to rest two weeks before coming to the Senate he did not take with him any momento of the esteem in which his fellow members hold him.

It was not the member's fault, however. They commissioned an artist at a fancy price to paint a portrait of the noted Mississippi statesman, but the product was so disappointing none had the heart to present it.

"I know I am not handsome," commented Williams as he looked at the portrait, "but they could not have done worse if they had been painting Adam."

"When did he die," inquired Vice-President Sherman.

"I could not give that to the man who had shot my dog," declared Representative Cushman of Washington, and the members decided he was right.

MILK DRIVER SAYS HE'S A UNION VICTIM

Many plans have been suggested for the improvement of Lake Merritt. None have been of such magnitude as the one started in a practical way.

According to Joseph Silveria, a non-union milk driver of the Oakland Dairy, a union sympathizer dumped his entire load of fresh milk into Lake Merritt while he was enjoying his breakfast.

Lake Merritt is always beautiful. It has always enhanced the value of property. But no one ever thought that union or non-union men would attempt to make it a part of the biblical "promised land."

LOANS $500 TO "NICE" MAN, WHO SKIPS

Borrower, Now in Reno, Tells Girl He'll Pay Her Back Her Money

SHE LENT IT AT $1 INTEREST EACH DAY

She Liked Him Awfully, and Tells Police It May Be Some Horrid Mistake

Real unpleasant and unconventional thoughts about a former friend would continually embarrass Miss Anna McLaughlin while she was conversing with Captain of Detectives Petersen yesterday afternoon. Only after displaying the philosophical trend of mind and battling with her inner nature so sweet and demure, would Miss McLaughlin agree to allow the police to believe that she had concluded that she had been "stung." She could not allow anyone to think that she honestly thought that J. V. Pidgeon, whom she met at the home of a mutal friend, intended to defraud her out of $500. She conveyed the idea that she wanted to think that Mr. Pidgeon was the unwilling victim of extenuating circumstances. She was only prompted to make a vulgar report, so formal, because of the insistent advice of her attorney, E. G. Ryker.

Get Sentimental

Psychology and philosophy permeated the atmosphere. She was shocked to think that a gentleman would "look a gift horse in the mouth." The captain answered in the same pathetic quotations: "Education and refinement make a smooth track for success," was his clever rejoinder.

However, after eliminating these more or less abstract portions of the complaint, the concrete basis upon which the police must work is laid in the following deductions made by the morbidly correct authorities.

Mr. John V. Pidgeon met Miss McLaughlin at the home of Mrs. H. Pauly of 2714 Fruitvale avenue. A formal introduction took place. Each was delighted to meet the other. After the first meeting both thought the other particularly attractive and congenial. Further meetings were arranged.

Wanted a Loan

During one of these delightful meetings Pidgeon informed his acquaintance in a casual manner that he needed $500 to complete the purchase of a Thomas Flyer. He produced a bill of sale showing that the machine of A. C. Eustice, under State licence No. 42160, was purchased by him and that a balance of a paltry sum was needed by him. For certain reasons he was unable to raise the cash made a loan from her. He agreed to pay her $1 per day for the loan. Besides meeting a pleasant fellow, she had invested a little money. How nice. Besides meeting a lovely girl, he had procured $500 on a false bill of sale.

Not until after payments were found to be scarce did the young lady suspect anything wrong. Then her attorney ascertained to her amazement that no such license had been granted and that no record of Eustice appeared upon the great records.

May Be Mistake

She believes that perhaps some awful mistake has taken place. "Even the best regulated families have accidents," she assures.

The police are prone to believe that perhaps the young man played a very ungallant trick, to say the least. "The man who wails excuses and borrows money is wrong," they contend.

The young man has been heard from at Reno. He promises, cross his heart to die to pay the amount within two weeks.

Miss McLaughlin thinks it is perfectly horrid, in fact she says it is "adding insult to injury" for the gentle quotation "Neither a borrower nor lender be" to be repeated to her with such a forcible regularity and under such circumstances.

NAVY SECRETARY TAKES THE HELM

Abolition of Navy Yards in South First Official Matter Considered

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The new secretary of the navy, George Von L. Meyer, entered upon his administration today, confronted with the question of the navy yards at Pensacola and New Orleans, which were abolished by Secretary Newberry, the act being approved by President Roosevelt.

The Florida and Louisiana delegations saw Secretary Meyer and protested against the abolition of the yards. Secretary Meyer says that he considers the question one of importance, as it effects the gulf ports, and that he will consider the protest from that point of view in rendering a decision.

Charles E. Taylor of Andover, Mass., was today sworn in as private secretary to the secretary of the navy. Mr. Taylor was educated at Trinity College, Hartford, Conn.

HARRIMAN INTERESTS HAVEN'T TERMINAL

NEW YORK, March 6.—It is authoritatively stated that there is no truth in the report from New Orleans that Harriman's interests have acquired a one-third interest in the Terminal property in that city, owned jointly by the Southern Railway Company and the St. Louis and San Francisco Railway Company. It is assumed that the Central of Georgia railway will use the terminal of the Illinois Central, which is distinct from that of the Southern Railway and 'Frisco.

SENTENCED TO LIFE, PLUS 14 YEARS, FOR ROBBING WOMAN

The Crime—Robbing a woman of $18 and two bottles of whisky.

The Verdict—"We, the jury, find the defendants guilty in manner and form as charged in the indictment, and we the jury, further find that the defendants were armed with a deadly weapon at the time of the commission of the crime, and we, the jury, further find that the said defendants have been convicted of the similar crime prior to the commission of this offense."

The Penalty—Imprisonment for life plus fourteen years.

Judge's Comment—"The defendants will not be able to serve out their full sentences."

CANNOT SERVE TERM, SAYS JUDGE

Three Ex-Convicts Who Stole $48 and Whisky Must Pay Heavy Penalty

USED REVOLVER IN HOLDING UP VICTIM

Criminals Found Guilty on Three Counts and Given Limit of the Law

CHICAGO, March 6.—The jury in the case of John Rudnek, Joseph Broekl and John Tierney, young men, charged with having robbed Mrs. Elizabeth Boreck at the point of a revolver, set a precedent in the annals of the Cook county criminal court today when it brought in the above verdict. The men were indicted on three counts and were found guilty of all three. The obligatory penalty which must be imposed is life imprisonment for robbery at the point of a revolver and fourteen years under the habitual criminal act.

Sentence has not been meted out. A motion for a new trial has been made.

"It is the first time that such a verdict was ever returned to my knowledge," said Judge Kersten.

SPEAKER CHECKS ANTI-JAPANESE MANEUVER

Retaliates on Asiatic Exclusionists Who Steal a March on Him

CONSIGNS RESOLUTION TO FATAL COMMITTEE

Then Shows His Subtle Hand and Gives Opposition the "Hee-Haw"

SACRAMENTO, March 6.—Speaker Stanton of the Assembly had the laugh on the anti-Japanese forces in the House today. The previous day the "antis" stole a march on the Speaker, when he was out of the chair, by introducing an Asiatic exclusion resolution that had been pocketed by Stanton when it came over from the Senate.

When the Assembly convened this morning Stanton declared that the resolution had been improperly referred to the Committee on Federal Relations. He said it should be considered as a bill and he referred to the Committee on Introduction of Bills.

He prevailed upon Grove Johnson of Sacramento to withdraw the resolution and re-introduce it with a request that it be allowed to go on the file. Johnson did this to keep peace with the Speaker.

STORY OF ESTHER WILL BE RETOLD

Children of Beth Synagogue to Commemorate Purim Festival This Afternoon

The story of Queen Esther will be related this afternoon in Beth Jacob synagogue, Ninth and Castro streets, by the Sunday-school pupils, to commemorate the Purim festival.

An elaborate musical and literary program has been arranged for the occasion, which celebrates the days the Jews rested from their enemies and the month wherein sorrow was changed to joy. The festival is one of feasting and merriment. On this day gifts are sent to the poor.

The little ones will reign supreme at the festival today. National Jewish hymns will be sung. The children have been rehearsing for many months for the event.

Four little girls will tell the story of Purim. They are Ethel Davis, Flora Asher, Lizzie Glazier and Yetta Kletz. Miss Cecilia Buchman will render several selections. Rev. Dr. Meyrowitz, rabbi of Beth Jacob Synagogue, will deliver an address. A. S. Gottheif and M. H. Coffee will preside over the exercises.

DRINK OF WINE COSTS HIM $237

SANTA ROSA, March 6.—The drink of wine C. Worth, a well-known and elderly resident of Cloverdale, gave an Indian a week ago has cost him exactly $237.50. He was fined $100 upon arrest and now Deputy Internal Revenue Collector Pohley has made him put up $137.50 for selling liquor without a license.

PRESIDENT TAFT SHAKES 3500 BY HAND

Has Long Interview With Senator Aldrich on the Tariff Question

REVISION WILL BE ALL OVER BY JUNE 1

Very Strenuous Day Is Put in at White House by New Executive

WASHINGTON, March 6.—President Taft conducted himself strenuously today at the White House, where several thousand more patriots filed in and got the Presidential grip.

Every state in the union was represented in the army of hand-shakers, and all creeds, colors and races were there. The Taft smile was in fine working order. One of the first arrivals was Senator Burke of Nebraska, who escorted a group of Indians into the inner room of the offices, where they shook the hand of the President. In this delegation of red men were Alexander B. Upshaw of the Crow tribe, Montana; Thomas L. Sloan, Omaha tribe, Nebraska; James Thorpe, Sac and Fox, Edward Buttleyoung, Ogalallah Sioux, and half a dozen others.

Shakes 3500 Hands

Altogether the President shook hands with more than 3500 persons before one o'clock. He began his reception in the executive offices but the rush became so great that he moved to the East room, where the stream of callers was incessant for two hours.

His last interview in the offices was with Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island, the leader of the Senate. This was a long one, and while it was in progress the crowd piled up so that the reception room was packed and many had to stand outside. When the word was passed out that the East room would be the scene of handshaking there was a grand rush for it.

Mr. Aldrich refused to say anything regarding his interview, but it is understood that it had to do with the tariff.

Aldrich in Sympathy

It is understood that Aldrich is in full sympathy with the President's plan to get rid of tariff revision by June 1, and that he will do his part in the Senate to accomplish that end.

The President's only work, outside of the handshaking, was his conference with Aldrich and a brief talk with Mr. Nagel and Mr. Knox, two of his cabinet members.

The crowd of callers today was larger than that of yesterday, and was described as the greatest throng which ever greeted a new President at the White House.

A representative of the National Conservation Commission put up a new problem to the new President today. He wanted to know whether the paragraph in the sundry civil appropriation bill abolishing executive commissions included the Conservation Commission.

Too Big a Question

The question was too big a one for Mr. Taft to decide off-hand, with 2,000 people trying to speak to him. He therefore made an appointment to meet the representatives of the commission this afternoon and discuss the matter with them.

Those who called on the President were the national commission and the committee of nine on co-operation between state and federal governments. Among them were former Governor Pardee of California, Senator Milton of Florida, Governor Wilson of Kentucky, Governor Quimby of New Hampshire, Governor Deneen of Illinois and Senator Nelson of Minnesota.

Matthew Cummings of Boston, national president of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, and Patrick J. Halligan of this city, editor of the National Hibernian, were introduced to Mr. Taft this morning by Representative Driscoll of New York.

GEORGE WHARTON JAMES TO LECTURE ON BROWNING

George Wharton James, the popular author and lecturer, will give a free lecture on Robert Browning before the Fellowship this afternoon at 4 o'clock in Pythian Castle, Twelfth and Alice streets. Probably no man on the coast is better qualified than Mr. James to talk about Browning, whom he regards as the modern interpreter of the life of the soul. This lecture will be followed by five interpretations of Browning's poems, to be given on successive afternoons, commencing Monday, at 3:30 o'clock, in the same hall.

PIEDMONT IS NOW TO HAVE CARNEGIE LIBRARY

The Town Trustees of Piedmont will meet early this week to consider the construction and maintenance of a Carnegie library. An application for an appropriation for the building of the library has met with success. The town must guarantee to allow $2000 a year for operating expenses. A site will be selected in the near future and active work commenced.

DEPEW WANTS INAUGURATION IN APRIL

Offers Amendment Proposes Change in Date of National Ceremonies

LODGE OBJECTS TO ITS CONSIDERATION

It Is Understood That Taft Favors Change in Present Arrangement

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Senator Depew offered an amendm[illegible]t to the constitution in the Senate t[illegible]y, which, i[illegible] passed will change the m[illegible]ting of Congress and the inaugurati[illegible] ceremonies from March 4 to the last Wednesday of April.

The amendment provi[illegible]s that the Sixty-second Congress and the Presidential term of office shall ter[illegible]inate at noon on the last Wednesday [illegible] April, 191[illegible]. Senator Lodge objected t[illegible] the consideration of the amendment [illegible] the groun[illegible] that it was general legis[illegible]tion and th[illegible] house was not now in ses[illegible]on and therefore no action could be [illegible]ken. It was referred to the committe[illegible] on privileges and elections. It will be [illegible]ressed at the special session.

It is understood that [illegible]resident Taft favors the proposition fo[illegible] a change of inauguration from March [illegible] to some da[illegible] in the spring or summer. There is [illegible] delicacy, however, in th[illegible] Presidential mind, about taking the in[illegible]ative, for th[illegible] reason that the present [illegible]esident would be longer in office than a[illegible] President if this date was advanced [illegible]wo or three months.

President Taft, like eve[illegible] one else, felt the discomfort of March [illegible] keenly but he stood it heroically. [illegible]hen the review was half over he [illegible]rned to Mrs. Edwards of California, hi[illegible] sister-in-law, and said:

"Well, I think I am ear[illegible]ing this day's salary at least."

WILEY IN DANGER OF LOSING PLACE

Judiciary Committee of Assembly Presented Amendment to Repeal Law

SACRAMENTO, March [illegible]—Code Commissioner J. W. Wiley of Bakersfield is in danger of decapitation. The judiciary committee of the Assembl[illegible] this morning presented an amendment [illegible] Assembly bill 2[illegible] to repeal the law ap[illegible]inting a Code Commissioner. This is [illegible]ided to oust Wiley from office. Many [illegible] the members are not so much opposed [illegible] the office as they are to the incumbent.

Wiley has not met wi[illegible] the approval of the Assembly commit[illegible]e on revision and reform of the law. [illegible]at he has not met with satisfaction wit[illegible] the members generally is evidenced by the fact that not one of the 100 amen[illegible]ments to the code prepared by him ha[illegible] been passed in either house.

The charge is made [illegible]at Wiley has neglected his work. It is [illegible]id he did not prepare his code amendm[illegible]nts until arriving at Sacramento, and [illegible]s a result the work of the various comm[illegible]ttees was delayed. Wiley's job pays h[illegible] $4000 a year. It is looked upon as a [illegible]necure and is very much sought after. He has two more years to serve, un[illegible]ss the Legislature puts through the b[illegible] that deprives him of his office.

Assembly bill 22 was o[illegible] that Johnson of Sacramento introduced [illegible]o amend some law. It was not deemed [illegible]mportant, but its place on the file wa[illegible] required and the judiciary committee [illegible]revailed upon Johnson to allow them to strike out the words after the enacting [illegible]lause and insert the words "to repe[illegible] the office of Code Commissioner."

Wiley has learned of th[illegible] move and is working hard to save his [illegible]lp. He tried to see the Governor toda[illegible] but was unsuccessful.

Loeb Appointed Port Collector

WASHINGTON, Marc[illegible] 6.—William Loeb, Jr., former secret[illegible] to President Roosevelt, was confirmed by the Senate today as collector of th[illegible] port of New York, but not until af[illegible]r considerable debate. Loeb's appointm[illegible]nt was the first one sent to the Sen[illegible]e by President Taft.

Senator Bailey, who y[illegible]terday made objection to the confirma[illegible]n, offered the same objection this afte[illegible]oon, after the Senate had gone into ex[illegible]cutive session.

Senator Bailey's object[illegible]ns, it is said, were based on a letter [illegible]itten by Loeb to the Texas senator, in [illegible]hich the then private secretary to the [illegible]esident is said to have accused the Tex[illegible]s senator with quibbling with the truth.

FIANCE LEAVES AT TIME OF MURDER

Corpse, Gowned in Bridal Finery, Robbed of Money and Picture

TRAIN WRECK SAVES REMAINS FROM WHEELS

No Cars Ran Over Rails, So Nature of Crime Was Easily Discovered

PITTSBURG, March 6.—Garbed in the gown in which she was to have been married next Wednesday, the body of Leona Luppens, a pretty 18-year-old dining-room girl of the Hotel Henry, was found today tied to the tracks of the Pan Handle Railroad, near McDonald, Allegheny county. Coincidentally with the finding of the girl's body the police began a search for William Henderson, a young railroader, who was the girl's fiance. He was found to have disappeared, with all his belongings, after vainly attempting to get Aimee Dubois, a French-American girl of the town, to elope with him.

Tracks Not Used

The police believe the girl was drugged with chloral and while partly conscious tied to a stretch of railroad track that is only used for the shunting of cars. Owing to a slight wreck this track was not used last night, and this led to the discovery of the murder.

A legacy from her mother of $500, that the girl carried in a chamois bag about her neck, was missing, together with a locket containing a photograph of the missing Henderson.

Miss Luppens, who is the daughter of a Frenchman operating the McDonald coal mine, had received many attentions from patrons of the hotel, and this is said to have aroused Henderson's jealousy.

YOUTH LOSES SUIT AGAINST HIS SISTER

But $100,000 Bonds Demanded of Administratrix of Lavenberg Estate

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—Judge Graham refused to grant the application today of Leon Eleazar Lavenberg to have his sister, Mrs. Sarah Schwalbe, removed as administratrix of the estate of their father, the late Samuel L. Lavenberg, a money-lender, who left property worth about $60,000. The judge directed Mrs. Schwalbe to file a bond of $100,000 and set for trial on March 15 another action brought by the son in which he contests the will of his father on the ground of undue influence.

Lavenberg died December 25, 1907, at the age of 80. Four years before he had been married to a young woman who subsequently sued for divorce. Through the efforts of Mrs. Schwalbe the couple were brought together, but afterward separated again. Lavenberg left the bulk of his estate to Mrs. Schwalbe and another daughter, cutting off the contesting son with $500.

The application for the removal of Mrs. Schwalbe as administratrix set up that she had failed to include in her inventory the fact that her father held her note for $25,000. It was asserted during a hearing of the case that Lavenberg, to prevent his young wife from getting a large sum as alimony, had transferred his holdings to Mrs. Schwalbe and she had executed the note to him in return. Judge Graham held all parties would be protected by the execution of the bond for $100,000.

The contestant asserts that his father was feeble in mind and subjected to the undue influence of Mrs. Schwalbe when he left the bulk of his property to her.

MRS. CRAWFORD IS ANGRY AT HUSBAND

Holy Roller Evangelist Denies Story of Kidnaping One of Her Children

That her husband has maliciously and willfully caused her annoyance and disturbed the police authorities of Portland and Oakland by reporting that his only daughter, Mildred, 12 years of age, had been kidnaped and taken to Oakland by her mother, a "Holy Roller" special evangelist, is the contention of Mrs. Florence Crawford.

The Oakland police received a report from Portland to the effect that Miss Mildred had been missing and that F. M. Crawford, her father, had complained that his wife had kidnaped her. Upon investigation it is learned that the girl is still in Portland attending the Apostolic Church school.

Mrs. Crawford, who is rooming at 666 Harrison street with her 18-year-old son, received a wire from C. S. Treadway, head of the cult at Portland, denying that the girl has left Portland and assuring the evangelist that the report was circulated with malicious intent, merely because he is not in sympathy with her work.

The police have determined that the trouble is one of the numerous instances of "Holy Roller" family difficulties, which often cause much work and little accomplishment.

PROPRIETOR OF ST. MARK CAFE BUYS THE FORUM

Gustav Mann, proprietor of the St. Mark Cafe, yesterday bought and is now in possession of The Forum Cafe. It has been rumored that this place was to be sold soon, but that Mr. Mann was to be its proprietor came as a great surprise.

The new proprietor was a former partner of Tait's before the big fire in San Francisco, and came West from Sherry's famous place in New York City.

When he purchased the St. Mark Cafe he declared he had come to Oakland to stay and "boost." Last night when seen at The Forum Mr. Mann said that his plans were undecided as to his lease of the St. Mark Cafe. He explained that his plans did not permit of discussing the new purchase beyond that he purposed remodeling and redecorating the Forum at once to make it the most up-to-date and best-equipped cafe in the State.

News of Berkeley, Alameda and the County Towns

Japanese Potato Trust Magnate Settles Among the Society Folk

Stranger Frightens Little Maids
College Girls Réceive 'Shock'
Lineman Has a Miraculous Escape

Merchants Want to Have Police And Fire Craft on the Canal

SON OF NIPPON MAY STIR UP SOCIETY

Wealthy Japanese Buys Home In Heart of Berkeley's Exclusive Neighborhood

IS KNOWN AS THE ONE MAN POTATO TRUST

Pays $15,000 for Residence, Once Known as Beaulieu School for Girls

BERKELEY, March 6.—George Shima, the Japanese one man potato trust, has purchased the property formerly known as the Beaulieu Schol for Girls, at Parker street and College avenue, and announces he will assume possession of the house and grounds at once. The price is $15,000.

Shima has the money necessary for qualification in the aristocratic neighborhood, but it remains to be seen how his presence is greeted by the society leaders who are numerous in the Claremont region and along College avenue. Shima, who is now a resident of Antioch, and credited with absolutely controlling the island potato product, comes to Berkeley with a family, servants, an automobile and other accessories of a trust magnate. His new home is in the heart of an exclusive neighborhood, the precincts of which have not heretofore been assailed by an Oriental social leader.

Shima at first sought to buy a home on the hill in North Berkeley, but could find nothing to his liking and the property owners were shy of making him any prices.

It may be that his removal to Parker and College avenue will stir up a social row. In any event Shima is prepared financially for a fight of this kind. He acquired last week 4300 acres of land near Stockton and with other holdings is now said to be in a position to set the price of potatoes.

Woman for the Second Time Wins Blue and Gold Contest

MISS JAUNITA NICHOLSON. ALAN CROCKER.

BERKELEY, March 6.—For a second time in the history of the University of California the contest for a suitable design to be used as a frontispiece in the annual class book of the university, the Blue and Gold, has been won by a woman student of the California School of Design in San Francisco. Miss Juanita Nicholson, a scholarship student in the institute, has won the prize, offered by the editors of the annual for 1910, her design having been chosen from a large number submitted.

A Clever Design

The work, which is done in clay modeling, represents the figure of a graceful girl, with bowed head, holding a volume opened in her hands. It is done in relief work, and is considered by the judges to be one of the cleverest pieces of design submitted for many years. The committee of judges who passed upon the drawings was composed of Professor W. C. Hays, C. Chapel Judson and M. E. Cummings. The prize awarded is a summer vacation trip to the mountains.

Other Prize Winners

William H. Greenlaw, a sophomore in the university, won the cartoon contest for the book. Greenlaw is well known for his work in the Pelican, or comic paper gotten out by several university students, and has done creditable work in former issues of the Blue and Gold. The committee who awarded his prize comprised Editor-in-Chief Allan C. Van Fleet, son of the well known judge; J. E. Brooks, W. W. Kergan and R. E. Fay.

POLICE WANT TO GET ACCOSTER OF GIRLS

Strange Man Is Causing Much Excitement Among Parents of Children

COMPLAINTS MADE TO BERKELEY AUTHORITIES

Detective Jameson Placed on Case and Watch Will Be Kept

BERKELEY, March 6.—Excitement is being caused about Berkeley by a strange man who has been accosting young girls on the street, to the great peturbation of parents, as is seen from the complaints given to the police. The first complaint was received this afternoon from J. W. Flynn, who claimed that an unknown man accosted his thirteen-year-old daughter on the street and inquired where "Mrs Watson" lived. This, according to the girl, was done in a suspicious manner, and on her return home she reported the fact to her father, who in turn notified the police.

Asked Improper Questions

The second complaint came from J. Schlussel of 2148 Sacramento street, who reported that at 7:30 o'clock last night his daughter, aged 11 years, was spoken to by a man she did not know and asked indecent questions. The girl, becoming frightened, ran away, and on telling her parents of the adventure they at once decided to notify the police.

The description of the man tallies in both complaints. He is described as being tall, about 40 years of age, with black hair and smoot-shaven face, and was wearing a black suit and a black fedora hat at the time seen by the girls. The police are investigating the matter thoroughly. Detective Henry Jamison is on the case.

PROPOSE A FIRE BOAT FOR THE ESTUARY

Oakland and Alameda Interests May Combine for Better Protection

WILL TALK OVER NEW SCHEME ON TUESDAY

Delegates Will Discuss Subject With the Local Merchants Exchange Members

ALAMEDA, March 6.—The Merchants Exchange of Alameda will in all probability co-operate with the Oakland Chamber of Commerce in raising funds for the purchase of a fire boat for the estuary, according to the present plans. Secretary Russell of the Alameda organization has been asked to send a delegation to the Merchants' Exchange of Oakland to talk over the matter at the next meeting Tuesday night.

Secretary Ralph A. Russell of the Alameda Chamber of Commerce says:

"We have been in favor of this for a long time and a delegation will be sent over to Oakland which will represent the business men and property owners to confer with the Merchants' Exchange with the object of carrying out the project of raising the funds for the purchase of an estuary fire boat."

Glad to Co-Operate

C. H. Young, a director of the Oakland Merchants' Exchange, says that both Oakland and Alameda have been for a long time in need of fire and police protection along the estuary and that the Merchants' Exchange of Oakland would gladly co-operate with the Alameda Chamber of Commerce in the matter.

"The commercial organizations of Oakland and Alameda should form some plan," says Young, "by means of which the danger could be reduced to a minimum."

Secretary Russell has talked the matter over with the Alameda Chamber of Commerce and has secured the names of several of the merchants and property owners who will attend the meeting of the Merchants' Exchange for the purpose of talking over ways and means to provide sufficient fire protection along the estuary.

Commerce Club Members Hold Fifth Banquet

H. GUNDELFINGER, Who Is Acting on the Banquet Committee of the Commerce Club of the U. of C.

BERKELEY, March 6.—The fifth annual banquet of the College of Commerce of the University of California was held tonight in the Bismarck hotel, San Francisco. Several of the professors in the College of Commerce were guests, and with a number of prominent alumni members responded to toasts.

The Commerce Club is one of the most prominent organizations in the State University, having for its object the practical study of factories, large offices, and other institutions connected with the course of instruction taken in the classroom. This club visits factories, power houses, canneries and other like concerns about the bay each month, and often travels some distance for the pursuit of knowledge of some particular industry.

The committee having charge of the banquet was composed of Herbert Gundelfinger '09, W. C. Parry, '10, and W. L. Merrill, '10.

RARE SPECIMENS PROVE TO BE SILVER

Works of Art by Ancient Smiths Restored to Original Form by New Process

DANGER OF LOSS NOW COMPLETELY OVERCOME

Museum of Anthropology, by Electrolysis, Will Save Rare Old Specimens

BERKELEY, March 6.—The museum of anthropology at the State University, in a general cleaning and burnishing of many rare old specimens of the art of ancient smiths, has discovered that many heretofore believed to be copper are in reality native silver. So encrusted with the accumulations of centuries and the effects of oxidization were these ornaments that since their discovery experts have tabulated and catalogued them as copper. The truth was only brought to light a few days ago by the application of a peculiar electric process.

Many Specimens Saved

By this electrolytic process a number of valuable and ancient bronze specimens which, when discovered, were covered with verdegris and threatened with complete destruction by oxidation, have been restored to metallic form and put into condition for permanent preservation. These specimens were found in Peru, Egypt and Italy, and comprise earplugs, tweezers, coins, lamps, arrowpoints and other ornaments.

Copper and bronze were used by many prehistoric nations before the manufacture of iron was understood, and specimens have been found that were manufactured thousands of years ago. These were deeply incrusted with oxidized matter and corroded, especially where the ground contained much mineral matter, as in the dry climate of Egypt and Peru. These specimens, on being brought to a moist climate, rapidly decay, the corrosion working into the core of the metal under the coat of oxide, and not being visible until the specimen has fallen into a mass of powder.

Danger Overcome

This danger has been overcome by the new process of electrolysis, which restores to its old condition all work, no matter how corroded or old. The process consists of wrapping an object in sheet zinc and immersing it in certain chemicals. An electric process is set up which partly restores the object to its original state of metallic bronze. When the treatment is completed the object presents a bright luster, and its original appearance. In many cases delicate incised ornaments have been restored to silver which have been taken for copper, and it is found that the treatment can be applied to any metal. A number of rusted Roman arrowpoints of iron have been perfectly restored by this method to their original condition.

YOUNG SWIMMERS CAUSE A 'SHOCK'

Construct a Dam and Police Make Raid and Catch the Lads

BERKELEY, March 6.—The college girls residing about the head of Bancroft way and the fashionable society colony of the same neighborhood were shocked this morning when they were told that a number of small boys had constructed a swimming reservoir in the bed of Strawberry creek at the Spaulding-avenue crossing. The youngsters had built a dam and the downflow from the hills did the rest. In two hours they had a swimming pool that afforded 6 feet of water and a course of twenty yards for racing. The sport was fast and furious, desp te the chilly weather and the rain.

A. Fox, of 2246 Spaulding avenue, told Chief Vollmer that the women of the neighborhood were "shocked" and two officers were sent to the scene. They found five boys enjoying the freedom of the pool without the protection of a bathing suit. They scurried into the shrubbery and when caught promised to desist from further bathing in the creek.

VICTIM SUCCUMBS TO HIS INJURIES

John W. Wright Hit by Train at Melrose Dies After Operations

FRUITVALE, March 6.—John W. Wright of 1766 Thirteenth avenue, who was struck by the Southern Pacific local at Melrose station on the night of November 21, 1908, died Thursday after undergoing two operations and seemingly on the road to recovery. Complications set in a few days ago and he sank rapidly till the end came.

Deceased was a native of Missouri, but went to Iowa about eleven years ago. He came to California in 1903, where he has resided since that time. He leaves a widow and four children, Mrs. Lena Hollis, M. J. Walter Wright Jr., Mrs. May Brown, Miss Kate Wright; and one brother, B. F. Wright, all of whom reside in Oakland. There are also three sisters residing in North Dakota and a brother in Iowa. The funeral services were held Friday.

ARCHITECT DIES AFTER LINGERING ILLNESS

BERKELEY, March 6.—Anders C. Bjerhovde, a young architect of this city, died at his home, 1038 Alliston way last night after a lingering illness. He had lived in Berkeley for about eight years, having come here after graduating from one of the leading universities of Norway as an architect. He was 28 years of age and is survived by a father and sister. No arrangements have been made for the funeral.

RETURNS FROM ORIENT; WILL LECTURE ON JAPAN

BERKELEY, March 6.—Dr. George C. Adams of San Francisco, who returned recently from an extended tour in the Orient, will be the guest of honor at the dinner of the Men's League of the First Congregational Church Monday evening. He will address the clubmen on the present relations of this country to Japan and China.

TO SUPPLY BOOKS FOR THE BLIND

State Will Aid the Alameda Library by Giving Use of Literature

ALAMEDA, March 6.—In response to a letter to James S. Gillis, the State Librarian at Sacramento, a communication has been received by Mrs. H. Krauth to the effect that the Alameda library will be allowed to use all the literature for the blind the State library possesses.

Mrs. Krauth declares that while there are not enough blind people in Alameda to set aside a separate room for their exclusive use she would get a full supply of books for the blind, as well as a few current magazines printed in the raised type. Mrs M. Sleiden has donated several bound magazines of the Braille type for the use of the blind. More donations are likely to follow, according to Mrs. Krauth, as soon as those who are interested in the afflicted are made acquainted with the existence of the department for the blind.

That the sightless may be kept in touch with current events is the object, but the cost of the printing of the books in raised type has been almost prohibitive. The assurances from the State Librarian are therefore welcomed.

HALF HOUR OF MUSIC AT HEARST THEATER

BERKELEY, March 6.—The opening Half-hour of Music for the spring will be given in the Hearst Greek Theater tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, the weather permitting. In case of inclement weather the concert will be postponed until out-of-door enjoyment in the amphitheater is possible.

The soloist will be Miss Gertrude Tryone, a soprano from New York, with Miss Doris Ward Beechwood as accompanist, and Miss Alice Davis, violin obligato.

The program has been arranged as follows:

"I Will Extol Thee" (Aria from "Eli") .... Costa
Waltz song, "Delight," by Mlle. Tryone's teacher .... Isidore Luckstone
(a) "Love Has Wings" .... Rogers
(b) "The Danza" .... Chadwick
"Allerseelen" .... Richard Strauss
Charmant Oiseau, from "La Perle du Bresil" .... F. David
Melba waltz song, "Love in Springtime" .... L. Arditi
Violin obligato by Miss Davies.

GIVE BIG BENEFIT FOR SICK MEMBER

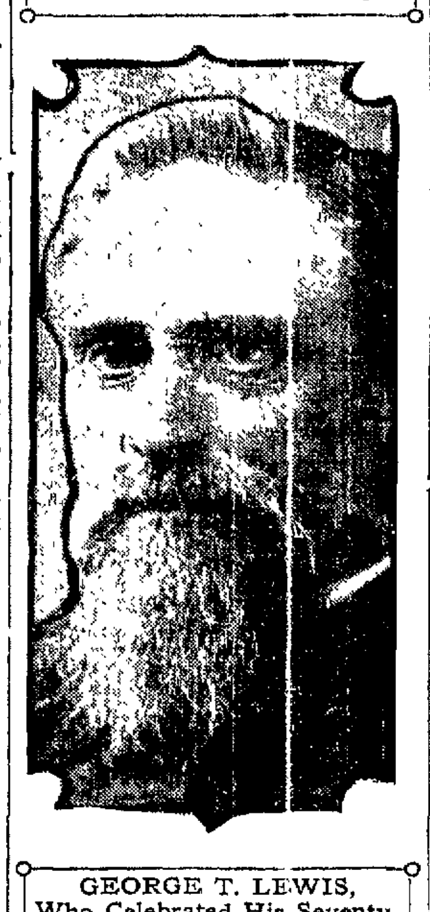
ELMHURST, March 6.—Elm Camp No. 180, Woodmen of the World, gave an entertainment for the benefit of a sick member last night, which was attended by a large crowd and proved a big success.

The program consisted of musical selections by the Lockwood School Band, a solo by Dr. Darneal, a flute solo by Miss L. Greggory, a medley by the Mandolin Club, a song by Miss Edna Loggenheimer, musical selection by Butchbeck's Girls' Orchestra, song by Miss Graham, juggling by Ben Darning, song by Miss Harrison, duet by Ray Lemieux and Edward Hills, a recitation by W. Morgan, song by H. Hardwick, and song by Miss Gramsbacher.

MRS. T. BOETTINGER DIES AT FABIOLA HOSPITAL

BERKELEY, March 6.—Mrs. Thurston Boettinger of 1928 Cedar street, this city, died yesterday at the Fabiola Hospital, after several weeks illness. She leaves behind her two sons and two daughters, one of which is Mrs. J. Teel Farrar, well known in Berkeley society. The deceased was a native of this country, aged 58 years. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

Goes Over Stories of His Struggles in the Early Days



GEORGE T. LEWIS, Who Celebrated His Seventy-fourth Birthday at a Dinner.

ALAMEDA, March 6.—George T. Lewis of 1549 Foley street celebrated the seventy-fourth anniversary of his birth with a New England dinner which was prepared under the direction of his niece, Miss Mary Brown, yesterady.

The house was beautifully decorated and the festive board was weighed down with the good things that served the guests as a reminder of old New England days. The members of the family were in attendance and the affair was one that will long be remembered. Stories of the days when Lewis crossed the Isthmus of Panama, and how he made his start in life were all gone over. Some very interesting incidents were related.

Lewis has been a resident of this city for the past forty-one years. He is in the insurance business and is a respected citizen of the community. His years do not bear heavily upon him and he is active in the business interests of the city's affairs.

Those present at the birthday party were: Mr. and Mrs J. B. Cook of San Francisco, Misses Pearl and Jessie May Cook, Mr. and Mrs T. J. Fellow, Misses Bernice, Eva, Emily and Marjorie Fellow, Mrs. J. E. Smith, T. D. Lewis and Mrs. Jessie McMillan.

MOTHERS' CLUB WILL LISTEN TO LECTURES

BERKELEY, March 6.—The first regular meeting of the members of the new Mothers' Club of the Berkeley High school will be held in the Assembly hall of the school Monday afternoon. After the adoption of a set of by laws the club members will listen to an address by Professor William Carey Jones, on "The Effect of the New Berkeley Charter on the Schools." Dr. F. A. Lacey will talk on "The Relation of the Mothers' Club to the School."

SHOWER OF FISH CAUSES PEOPLE TO FLEE

Waterspout Strikes Terror to Hearts of the Citizens of Fruitvale

FREAK OF NATURE PASSES THROUGH TOWN

Whirlwind of Water Measures Some Twenty Feet Across Its Mouth

FRUITVALE, March 6.—A waterspout upside down visited Fruitvale this afternoon and startled the residents of this place to such an extent that many of them who resided near the path of the phenomenon ran in terror to their homes. Nothing like it had ever been seen in Fruitvale before, as the funnel-shaped whirlwind of water measuring some twenty feet across at its mouth, swept swiftly along the estuary.

Unlike the ordinary waterspout common to the Central States, the water, instead of being sucked from below in a whirl, drew its source from the storm clouds that hovered above and presented the appearance of a huge funnel upside down.

Shower of Fish

A shower of small fish and worms followed the strange freak of nature and fell thickly in squirming masses after the fury of the waterspout had been spent.

The spout was first seen at the foot of Fruitvale avenue, and like a whirling Dervish, its motion grew gradually faster and faster. Then it swept with the rapidity of the wind east along the estuary until it reached High street, where the impending rain and hail-storm broke and dispelled its fury.

WESTERN PACIFIC DEPOT IS NEARING COMPLETION

HAYWARD, March 6.—Work on the new Western Pacific depot is being pushed to a rapid completion. It is fast acquiring an imposing appearance, and its beauty of architecture is noticeable. It will be after the Mission style, with a large arcade on the north.

Besides the depot, the company is erecting a freight shed at a considerable distance from the depot building. This will be finished in a short time.

GRADUATES FROM YALE SCHOOL OF FORESTRY

BERKELEY, March 6.—News has been received in Berkeley that Belknap Chittenden Goldsmith, a member of the class of 1906 in the State University, was graduated with high honors from the Yale Forestry School yesterday. Goldsmith is one of the highest men in his class and has received the degree of bachelor of forestry. He will probably enter the government service.

HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS HOLD CLASS "JINKS"

BERKELEY, March 6.—The senior class of the Berkeley High school held a "jinks" in the school under the auspices of the Girl Students' Association. Besides the games and refreshments there were burlesques by Roy Barrett, Will Heine and Paul Taylor on the Greek play recently given by the Greek Club of the school. A dialogue entitled "The Villain's Revenge," was rendered by Miss Alice McComb and Philip Langdon.

BERKELEY SOCIETY NEWS

BERKELEY, March 6.—Miss Lily Reed, whose engagement to Henry Ray Sanders was announced recently, is to be the complimented guest at a luncheon which will be given at the Claremont County Club, Wednesday, March 17, by the members of a bridge club to which she belongs. Among the hostesses for the luncheon are: Mesdames Paul Dinsmore and W. T. White and the Misses Ruth Houghton, Mollie Mathes, Rose Kales and Ruth Kales.

The luncheon will be a St. Patrick affair with appointments appropriate to the day. Miss Reed will be an Easter bride.

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Mrs Grace Davis Northrup, the charming Berkeley singer, gave a musicale this afternoon at her home in Bay View, North Berkeley. Mrs Northrup is a vocalist of wide fame and her affairs are always eagerly looked forward to. After the program, to which there were about twenty-five contributors, an enjoyable hour was spent over the tea cups. The names on the guest list were: Mesdames J. H. McCallum, Fred Tibbetts, Bennett, F. C. Lee and Merchant and the Misses Edith Nichols, Ethel Ostrander, Bessie Patton, Edith Pennington, Ada Reeder, Vita Swift, Catherine Sullivan, Lenore Solsig, Ruth Thompson, Hilda Nelson, Esther Bowman, Adele Brown, Edith Benjamin, Bessie Elliott, Flett, Alma Hollenbeck, Cecile Higgins, Miller, Marian Morrow and Lola McGlashan.

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The marriage of Miss Kathryn Morris to Burlington Carlisle, which takes place Wednesday, March 10, is attracting widespread interest in society circles around the bay. Over 275 invitations have been issued for the wedding, which will take place at the beautiful Morris home on Vine street, and at which the Rev H. K. Booth of the North Berkeley Congregational Church will officiate.

Miss Morris finished her education at an exclusive boarding school in Cincinnati, and since here return has been one of the most widely entertained maids of Berkeley society. Mr. Carlisle is the son of Mrs. Elinor Carlisle, whose social leadership and prominence in club life have made her one of the best-known women in the State, and is a member of the firm of A. Carlisle & Co. in San Francisco.

The young couple will reside in North Berkeley at the close of their honeymoon trip, and a beautiful home on Hawthorne terrace is being prepared for their occupancy.

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Miss Claire Lavenson of Sacramento, who has been visiting here for the last month, was the guest of honor at a dinner given at Northgate last evening and presided over by Will Henry and Miss Alice Henry. The dinner guests were the Misses Lavenson, Selma Lavenson and B. Wood of San Francisco, Virginia Shearer of Mills College and Alice Henry; Roscoe Maples, Frank Stimson, Paul Johnson, Eugene Vanatta, Will Henry. The patronesses were Mrs. Mansfield Lovell and Mrs. James E. Keeler.

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The Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club, which has met fortnightly throughout the season, has inaugurated an innovation in that the members will be guests at a luncheon preceding the hour or so at bridge. Mrs. W. C. Colson will be the hostess next Wednesday afternoon at her home in Eton avenue. Following are the members who will be entertained: Mesdames Henry Avilla, Charles Bonner, B. A. Harnett, A. W. Reiber, Clarence Vincent, E. T. Maples, W. C. Colson and E. J. McKain.

Many Berkeleyans interested in settlement work attended the cantata of "The Building of the Ship," presented last evening by the choral club of the Hamlin School at Century Club Hall, San Francisco, proceeds of which will be given to the nurses' settlement at the Potrero.

The trustees of the nurses' settlement are: Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president; Joseph Worcester, treasurer; John Galen Howard, Mrs. William H. Crocker and Miss Octavine Constance Briggs, head worker.

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Mrs. Arthur Brown, who recently returned from Europe, presided at a luncheon given at the Claremont Country Club in honor of her cousin, Miss Alice Crooks. The decorations were jonquils and ferns, and the guests were college friends of Miss Crooks, among whom were the Misses Ida Cowley, Marie Harland, Nellie Gobolt and Etta Fraser.

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Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Miles entertained the teachers of the Sunday school of the First Congregational Church this evening at their home, 2623 Benvenue avenue.

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Mrs A. V. Stubenrauch entertained the members of the Stitch Club yesterday afternoon at her home, 2747 Woolsey street. After an hour with the needles a dainty repast was served. Among those present were: Mesdames J. R. Davis, H. Quandt, W. Stamper, H. Demeritt, H. Zehner, Rains, E. Schmitt, C. . Frohliger and the hostess.

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Mrs H. G. Ponting, who has been expecting to leave for abroad in the early spring, has been indefinitely delayed, a number of tedious business affairs requiring her presence here for probably a fortnight longer. Mrs. Ponting expects, with her children, to join her husband and sisters abroad.

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Mrs John L. Chaddock will be hostess Friday evening next at her home on Benvenue avenue, the guests including an evening bridge club, the members of which never lose enthusiasm for the popular game.

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Charles Dutton, following his usual custom of receiving the first Sunday evening in the month, will be at home to his friends at his studio in Hillegass avenue tomorrow evening.

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Miss Hazel Herman of Pasadena is the guest of Miss Beatrice Palli at her home on Shattuck avenue.

DELIVERS A LECTURE ON SOUTHERN ITALY

BERKELEY, March 6.—The Rev. George A. Huff, pastor of the Grace Methodist Episcopal Church of San Francisco, lectured last evening at the Knox Presbyterian Church of Berkeley on "Southern Italy," the lecture being illustrated by views of Naples, Florence, Messina, Rome and Venice, photographed by the speaker himself during recent trip.

MUSICAL SERVICE AT THE EPWORTH CHURCH

BERKELEY, March 6.—Under the leadership of Delbert R. Crane, leader of the University of California band a special musical program is to be rendered at the Epworth Methodist Church, Telegraph and Durant avenues, tomorrow evening.

CHURCH AND HEALING WILL BE HIS SUBJECT

BERKELEY, March 6.—The second of the St. John's Club sermons will be preached tomorrow at St. Mark's Episcopal Church at the evening service by the Rev. E. H. Benson of San Francisco. The subject will be "The Church and Healing."

It is probable that Mr. Benson will devote a large part of his talk to the Emanuel movement.

REBEKAH LODGE TO GIVE WHIST TOURNEY

BERKELEY, March 6.—Rebekah Lodge No. 262, of this city, will give an elaborate whist tournament and entertainment in the Odd Fellows hall of this city March 17. Handsome prizes will be given to the winners, and other features have been arranged by the committee in charge of the affair.

TOM CORWINE WILL ADDRESS THE Y. M. C. A.

BERKELEY, March 6.—Tom Corwine, a polyphonic imitator of Chicago, will address the Berkeley Y. M. C. A. meeting tomorrow afternoon. Corwine is traveling over the Santa Fe giving exhibitions and is highly rated as an entertainer. He will have as his subject, "Talents and Gifts."

FALLS FROM POLE; LIGHTS ON FEET

Charles Bradley a Lineman Has a Miraculous Escape From Death

FRUITVALE, March 6.—Charles Bradley, a lineman in the employ of the Pacific States Telephone Company, escaped miraculously with his life today when he fell from the top of a forty-foot pole on Fruitvale avenue, turned two somersets and lit on his feet in the street. He was badly shaken up and it is thought that he may have sustained internal injuries.

Bradley was working on the top of the telegraph pole when, in some manner, he lost his balance and fell backward. His body turned over in the air and he struck on his feet. He was badly stunned by the long fall, and was hurried to the office of Dr. Smith, who, after an examination, found no broken bones. The man was taken in Berber's ambulance to his home, at 1467 Castro street.

BIRTHDAY PARTY IS ENJOYED BY FRIENDS

SAN LEANDRO, March 6.—A delightful party was given Mrs. M. Schafer of San Leandro at her home on San Lorenzo avenue, by her friends, in honor of her 65th birthday anniversary. Those present were: Rev. Haserodt and wife, Mrs P. Petersen, Mrs. Bittermann, Mrs. Roeber, Mrs. Ericks, Mrs. Screeder, Mrs. Farno, Mrs. W. Dreigh, Mrs. Hasslet, Mrs Weiss, Mrs. Flitterman, Mrs. Harriett Smith, Mrs. Hauch, Mrs. Fitter, Mrs Schultze, Mrs. Rippl.

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LIST SHOWS DECIDED GAINS

Curiosity About Two Candidates Is Now Satisfied--Rebekahs Ahead

Sunday is always the Contest's busy day. First the list which has not appeared for two days is eagerly scanned and then Mr. Candidate sallies forth to seek his friends. Everybody helps him, for isn't everybody's Saturday pay envelope burning a hole in the pocket of his Sunday suit?

Rebekahs Go Ahead

Today sees Concordia Rebekah Lodge No. 152 ahead for the first time. This is one of the only two German Rebekah lodges in the State, the other being Westphalia Lodge, of San Francisco. Concordia Lodge is distinguished in several other particulars. It includes among its members many older people who have kept up their lodge enthusiasm, and are still active and influential members. The social club connected with the lodge possesses a singing section, the only one among the Rebekah lodges, which adds materially to the enjoyment of the meetings. Like all true Germans, the members of Concordia are fond of music, and good judges of pianos, which explains their enthusiasm over the Tribune's Chickering and their determination to win it.

Mildred Mahoney Still Leads

Miss Mildred Mahoney, who leads the Berkeley district, is the daughter of R. H. W. Mahoney, the South Berkeley printer. Miss Mahoney has any number of friends working for her, and her chances are bright. She is the first Native Daughter to be born to a member of the Berkeley Parlor of the Native Daughters of the Golden West.

Miss Anna Harms

Another promising candidate in the third district is Miss Anna L. Harms, of Pleasanton, whose picture appears today. Miss Harms has been in the contest only a little over a week, but the progress she has made in that short time shows her enthusiasm and her popularity. She is confidential secretary for the well known law firm of Donahue & Gale, of Pleasanton, where the whole surrounding population are her friends and well-wishers. Needless to say, Miss Harms is a most attractive as well as capable young lady.

Ray Patterson

Mr. Patterson is a well known citizen of Richmond, who is working hard for the New York trip which is going to be awarded to the most popular outside man.

GRAND PRIZES.

Automobile Touring Car, value.....$1600
Nomination Prize, to winner of Grand Prize, watch, value..... 50

MOST POPULAR UNION MAN.
Nomination Prize, $20.
Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value $1600
First Prize, Building Lot, Melrose Heights near Foothill Boulevard. One block from new school site, 3 blocks from San Leandro car line. 950
Second Prize, Furniture Order (as selected) 150

John A. Healy	14,599
William Spooner	8,289
Arthur Emery	7,702
C. E. Blake	6,819
George Marino	4,537
A. Von Munch	3,694
Frank Higuera	2,535
Clifford Schmidt	1,819
S. J. Donohue	1,765
J. W. Smart	1,050
C. H. Bullock	695

MOST POPULAR AND SUCCESSFUL MAN.
In Alameda and Contra Costa Counties, Outside of the Cities of Oakland, Alameda or Berkeley.
Nomination Prize, $25.
Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value $1600
First Prize, Trip to New York and Hotel Bill, returning via Yellowstone Park and Portland.....400
Second Prize, Trip to City of Mexico and return 150

C. Hedemark, Crockett	20,956
H. L. Burdick, Centerville	12,761
Antone L. Leal, Livermore	10,840
Robert Bernstein, Martinez	3,055
E. J. Hoerst, San Leandro	2,808
Antone Davilla, Alvarado	1,609
Roy Patterson, Richmond	1,300
W. W. Sherbourne, Fitchburg	875

MOST POPULAR YOUNG LADY.
Three Nomination Prizes, $5 each (one to each district), $15.
Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value $1600
District No. 1—Oakland.
First Prize, Lindeman Cabinet Grand Piano 700
Second Prize, trip to Portland and return (all fares).....100

DISTRICT NO. 1—OAKLAND.

Miss Anna Vinther	46,746
Miss Martha E. Smith	46,950
Miss Ada Y. Pierson	42,629
Miss Isabelle Fletcher	37,921
Miss Alice Tasney	29,379
Miss Bessie Orr	11,772
Miss May Ralph Cook	6,266
Miss Eva M. Sanford	4,598
Miss Mabel Olsen	2,141
Miss Lottie Caleing	1,395
Miss Cecelia Krogh	873
Miss Ragnheld Ostrom	802
Miss Fannie Fetterhoff	761
Miss Bell Atkinson	480

DISTRICT NO. 2—BERKELEY AND OUTSIDE DISTRICTS.
First Prize, Curtaz Piano, Mission style upright..... 450
Second Prize Trip to Yellowstone Park and return via Portland 150

Miss Mildred Mahoney	32,209
Miss Anna L. Harms	12,482
Miss Eva Knoity	8,321
Miss Stella Griffin	2,812
Miss Maizie Behrens	2,300

DISTRICT NO. 3—ALAMEDA, FRUITVALE, MELROSE, ELMHURST, SAN LEANDRO AND ALAMEDA COUNTY.
First Prize, Curtaz Mahogany Upright Piano 400
Second Prize, trip to Yosemite Valley and return 50

Miss Ethel Bassett	17,606
Miss Gertrude McPherson	16,372
Miss Estelle Miller	6,677
Miss Ruth McFee	5,728
Miss Olga Anderson	4,399
Miss Grace Sheehan	3,986
Miss Nona Sinclair	1,655
Miss Florence Cole	1,512
Miss Virgie Wilson	1,308
Miss Avis Beatty	623

MOST POPULAR GIRL, 10 TO 17 YEARS, IN ALAMEDA COUNTY.
Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value $1600
First Prize, Gold Watch, value.... 50

Miss Lillian Limbach	13,123
Miss Alice Renwick	7,049
Miss Violet Chapman	6,393
Miss Elvene Sears	4,801
Miss Grace McDavid	2,379
Miss Clair Gray	1,108
Miss Mabel Gomperts	533
Miss Martha Lorsbach	530
Miss Aizina De Mont	507
Miss Emily Dearborn	504
Miss Marie Fox	500
Miss Hulda Anderson	500

MOST POPULAR MEMBER OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.
Nomination Prize, $10.
Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value $1600
First Prize, Trip to New York, two weeks' hotel bill..... 200
Second Prize, Gold Watch, or Revolver and Holster and 500 rounds of ammunition 50

Denny Halland	45,424
T. W. Crumpton	44,123
M. J. Shannon	40,817
Richard McSorley	3,351
E. C. Summers	924

LODGES, SOCIETIES, RELIGIOUS OR CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS.
Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value $1600
First Prize, Baby Grand Chickering Piano, value 750
(From Eilers Music Co., Oakland.)
Second Prize, Lodge Banner or Order for Merchandise, as selected from best store in Oakland..... 200

Concordia Rebekah Lodge No. 152	17,875
The Judaens	12,414
Enterprise Lodge No. 298, I.O.O.F.	9,717
Court Emeryville No. 281, F. and A.	6,581
Brooklyn Parlor No. 157, N.D.G.W.	3,585
Juvenile Court No. 5, A. O. F.	3,358
Pride of the Forest Circle No. 122,	3,310
Y. M. I., Oakland Council No. 6	897
Calanthe Temple No. 6, Rathbone Sisters	730
Knights and Ladies of the Maccabees	636

MOST POPULAR BOY.
Nomination Prize, $5 (each district).
Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value $1600
Special Prize, Curtis Motorcycle, value 225
The one receiving the largest number of votes is entitled to the Special Prize, and the other winners in each other district to a bicycle, value.....$50

DISTRICT NO. 1—OAKLAND.
(West of Grove.)

Philip Dalton	44,339
Albert Sinclair	39,738
Clarence Anderson	21,785
Joseph Mitchell	17,472
Ray Galloup	14,687
James McNally	12,969
Russell Doolan	11,565
Raymond Le Clair	5,770
Arnold de Caccia	5,127
Earl Clifford	4,142
W. Raie Lang	3,282
Budd Clark	3,038
Herbert Kincaid	2,334
Frank Luna	1,740
George Rumford	1,720
Milton Barr	1,693
Michael Marculescu	1,680
Bud Kennedy	1,557
John Courtney	1,514
Ellsworth Perkins	1,347
Doc Neason	1,340
Arthur Lorber	865
Fred B. Thomas	733
James W. Levy	722
Frank Yanney	590
Andrew Smith	533
Alphonse Wegrich	525

DISTRICT NO. 2—ALAMEDA, BERKELEY AND POINT RICHMOND.

Walter Bein	13,294
Martin Loustalot	5,552
Helve Franklin	4,977
Edwin Jacobson	4,043
James Griffin	3,536
Walter Jorgensen	2,737
Charles Grimbel	2,553
Harold Brown	2,077
Gilbert Nielsen	1,697
Ernest Wiglund	1,577

DISTRICT NO. 3—FRUITVALE AND MELROSE.

Lester Manning	23,613
Edwin Whittler	16,678
Lawrence Paine	15,537
Edward Kendrick	14,039
Ernest Russell	11,035
Warren Ward	5,543
Edwin Aitken	5,001
Edwin Sorrells	4,488
Raymond Moon	4,476
William Peterson	4,211
George Mink	2,103

DISTRICT NO. 4—ELMHURST AND SAN LEANDRO.

Leonard Hurlburt	18,832
Ronald Cormack	8,943
Harry Magneis	8,092
Stanford Warner	7,259
Willie Nixon	4,660
Lee Norton	3,929
Chester Wood	3,882
Walter Booth	558

DISTRICT NO. 5—OAKLAND.
(East of Grove.)

Harold Chapman	20,792
Ben Velasco	18,742
Dayton Jones	13,983
Marcus Wise	9,761
Leo Markalowitz	7,895
Henry Gibbs	7,844
Jesse Diaz	7,478
Oscar Carson	6,987
Herbert Trengore	6,934
Lester Nesbitt	6,736
George R. Vestal	5,154
Roy M. Widell	5,008
Paul Wuthe	4,867
Darrell Orth	4,749
Leo Merrick	4,644
Joseph Eckhardt	2,939
Lawrence Robertson	2,531
George C. Perkins	2,485
Rudolph Gibson	2,177
Frank Gilluly	2,162
William Westphal	1,957
Earl Kreiss	1,862
Donald Vaughn	1,755
David Lorenzana	1,686
Ray Page	1,597
Harry E. Fuller	1,550
Robert L. Atchison	1,090
Maynard Forstell	999
Herbert Tenny	958
Frank Smith	707
Leonard Larsen	628
Ponsonby Gardiner	621
Joe Geary	605
Gethin D. Williams	599
Louis G. Martin	521
Arthur Stacey	499

MOST POPULAR WOMAN.
Nomination Prize, $5 each (one to each district), $20.
Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value $1600
Special Prize, Building Lot 950
The person receiving the largest number of votes is entitled to the SPECIAL PRIZE.
The others are entitled to their choice of a sewing machine, gas stove or range, or trip to Yosemite Valley and return, value of any of the four..... $50

DISTRICT NO. 1—OAKLAND, EAST OF GROVE.

Mrs. K. Lewis	10,889
Mrs. F. Lorenger	7,563
Mrs. Mary Hummer	7,110
Mrs. Eva Hampton	5,684
Mrs. Maggie L. Hanson	2,504
Mrs. D. McMullan	842

DISTRICT NO. 2—OAKLAND, WEST OF GROVE.

Mrs. A. Holst	12,886
Mrs. R. W. Fiege	10,090
Mrs. H. Logue	9,995
Mrs. Mary Tobin	9,463
Mrs. Nellie J. Luz	4,076
Mrs. J. Rauline	3,680
Mrs. E. Slater	3,295
Mrs. J. H. Carlson	2,826
Mrs. Joseph Morris	1,171
Mrs. Louise Philbrick	930
Mrs. A. S. Hughes	812

DISTRICT NO. 3—ALAMEDA, BERKELEY AND POINT RICHMOND.

Mrs. W. A. Bender	8,975
Mrs. Tillie Priestly	3,309
Mrs. Carrie Lavigne	2,345

DISTRICT NO. 4—FRUITVALE, MELROSE, ELMHURST AND SAN LEANDRO.

Mrs. M. Rollins	4,952
Mrs. H. Reeves	3,637
Mrs. B. L. Blackmore	3,092
Mrs. Jack Sheffett	1,680
Mrs. J. C. Holland	1,657
Mrs. Chester Stanley	763
Mrs. C. Daniels	735

MOST POPULAR MAN IN ALAMEDA COUNTY.
This is in addition to the classes previously mentioned.
Nomination Prize, $10.
Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value $1600
First Prize, Trip to Yellowstone Park and return, going via Salt Lake and returning via Portland, or to Mexico City and return, and all fares 200
Second Prize, Watch, or Trip to Portland or Los Angeles and return With Los Angeles and side trips one week's board is included, value 100

Asa V. Mendenhall	64,416
Lester F. Prior	51,636
Henry D. Durham	20,356
George W. Austin	16,090
Herbert Powers	6,821
E. C. Simmons	5,814
"Bill" J. W. Henderson	4,281
Prof. Thomas P. Russell	3,896
Harry M. White	3,652
Fred A. Campbell	1,173
J. C. Hedemark	721
Deputy Sheriff Reilly	662
James Mierson	602
George Busch	593
George M. Reading	483

MOST POPULAR RAILWAY EMPLOYE (Steam or Electric) in Alameda or Contra Costa Counties.
Nomination Prize, $15.
Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value $1600
Special Prize—Order on John Breuner Furniture Co..... 200
The one receiving the largest number of votes in this contest is entitled to the Special Prize.

DISTRICT NO. 1—OAKLAND.
Gold Watch—Morton's (choice standard make) $100

Charles Moon	93,546
E. A. Wosnak	25,021
Peter Van Houtte	14,329
W. J. Getchell	11,909
Joseph Palmer	8,467
E. C. Rowland	7,358
Edward Noyes	4,220
A. H. Beakleany	1,041

DISTRICT NO. 2—BERKELEY AND POINT RICHMOND.
Gold Watch $100

J. H. Hopkins, Richmond	17,194
Guy Purdy	3,392

DISTRICT NO. 3.—ALAMEDA, FRUITVALE, MELROSE, ELMHURST, SAN LEANDRO.
Watch 100

Charles Anderson	15,198
R. N. Critchlow	5,598
"Daddy" Parks	5,405
F. J. Silva	1,404

MOST POPULAR LETTER CARRIER
Nomination Prize, $10.
Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value $1600
First Prize, choice $250 Furniture Order, or Trip to New York and return 250
Second Prize, Merchandise Order on Heeseman's 100

J. Z. Barnett	70,168
Ralph F. Gross	15,179
Edward L. West	3,375
J. F. Kenney	1,923

MOST POPULAR MEMBER OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.
Nomination Prize, $10.
Grand Prize, Automobile Touring Car, value $1600
First Prize, Gold Watch standard make, choice 100
Second Prize, Trip to Portland or Los Angeles and return 50
(With trip to Los Angeles and return one week's board is included.)

Will Harlow	20,377
William H. Rankin	18,236
Henry Doody	9,026
Brady Marlin	3,554
J. P. Roach	1,837
William H. McGrath	1,534

ROY PATTERSON,
A Popular Man of Richmond.

MISS ANNIE HARMS,
A Promising New Candidate From Pleasanton.

MILDRED MAHONEY,
Who Leads in the Berkeley District.

Classified Ads Help

An unusually liberal feature of this contest is the fact that votes are being issued with classified advertising. Five votes will be given for each five cents' worth up to $1 and from then on on an ascending scale as follows

100 votes for	$1.00
160 votes for	1.50
225 votes for	2.00
300 votes for	2.50
400 votes for	3.00

All fractional parts over $1 between amounts designated are figured at the rate of 5 votes for each 2 cents.

THE TRIBUNE has also issued little books containing $3.00 worth of classified advertising coupons which are for sale at the office for $1.00. Each book entitles the purchaser to 300 votes in the contest, besides giving him $2.00 worth of advertising for $2.50.

A receipt book with which to secure subscriptions will be given each candidate upon application to THE TRIBUNE. Votes will be allowed on subscriptions secured anywhere in the United States or Mexico.

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1 Year—$7.80	1,000	2,000 Votes
2 Years—$15.60	3,000	6,000 Votes
3 Years—$23.40	5,000	10,000 Votes
4 Years—$31.20	7,500	15,000 Votes
5 Years—$39.00	10,000	20,000 Votes

DIPHTHERIA INVADES BROWN UNIVERSITY

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 6.—Some uneasiness has been aroused at Brown University here by what is believed to be an epidemic of diphtheria. Four students were taken to the hospital. Because of the outbreak of the disease Brown may be debarred from participating in the triangular meet with Williams and Amherst, which is to be held at Amherst tonight.

NEGRO DESTROYS EYE OF INAUGURAL VISITOR

WASHINGTON, March 6.—As the result of a dispute with a negro waiter, Dr. Lonnie Robsen of Charleston, S. C., who came here with the German Fusilier Company of the National Guard of South Carolina, to attend the inauguration, will go home minus one eye and with the sight of the other seriously impaired. The trouble occurred last Thursday night in a fashionable restaurant here, the negro striking Dr. Robsen's eyeglasses, and driving a portion of the lens into his left eye. Dr. Robsen was removed to a hospital and yesterday the injured eyeball was removed. The right eye also is in a serious condition. The negro escaped and has not been arrested.

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THOMAS FLYER ESTABLISHES HILL-CLIMBING RECORD

Powerful Car Carries 23 People Over Filmore Street Hill

By ELIZABETH GREGG.

Twenty-three people up the famous Fillmore street hill in a Thomas Flyer, was the feat accomplished yesterday by Calvin C. Elb of the Pioneer Automobile Company. The possibilities of the modern automobile were never more thoroughly demonstrated than when Elb, accompanied by twenty-two passengers, standing on the running boards, astride the hood and hanging on to the sides of the tonneau, made the famous hill where the electric cars are taken up and down by cable. The test was the result of a discussion among several automobile men as to the possibilities for hill climbing of the highest power touring car on the market.

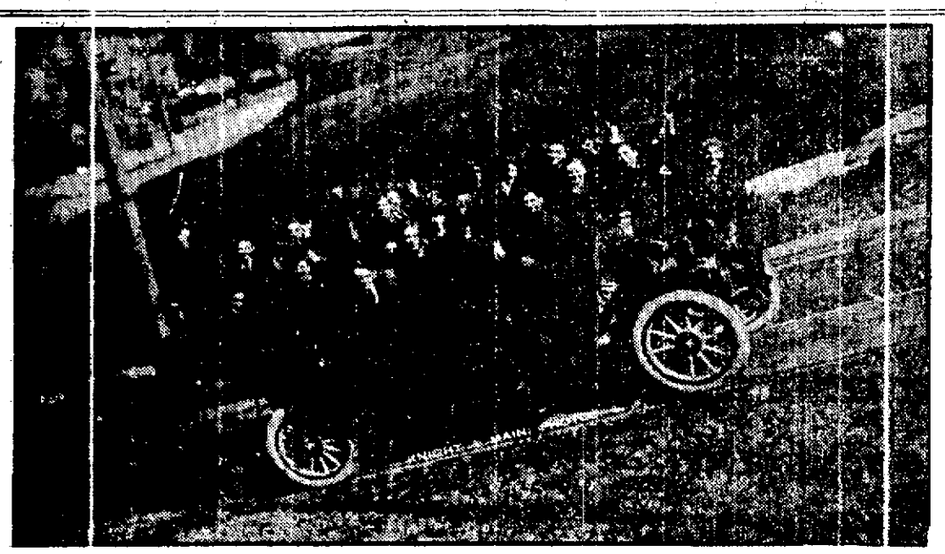
Calvin C. Elb one of the best known and most dare-devil drivers on the coast, agreed to take as many people as could be put on the six-cylinder Thomas, and take them up the steepest hill to be found in the city. The passengers for the test consisted of drivers, newspaper men and expert automobile mechanics, and it was apparent that these experienced motorists viewed the three blocks, 34 per cent grade from Union street to Broadway, with some misgivings as to the outcome of the climbing test. The fact of an automobile going up the famous hill always attracts a great deal of attention, and when the load in Jack Costello's six-cylinder Thomas car joined the already crowded machine, of which Calvin C. Elb was at the wheel, the interest was intense, wagers being made by spectators that the car would never do it, and others that the machine would not go more than half a block. Piling the whole of the skidds number wherever they could hang on, Elb gave the big six the throttle and the speed monster began the ascent easily at first, then with more and more speed as the throttle was opened wider. Never halting for the first part of the hill, Elb turned the big motor loose on the last ascent and the car shot up to the summit with as little effort and with much more confidence than the twenty-three occupants of the machine.

Not satisfied with the success of the test, Elb decided on taking the car with the same load to the center of the grade and stopped for a photograph. This nearly proved fatal, for when the photograph had been taken Elb started a speedy ascent, when the front wheels of the car jumped the track and before he could get it under control the car was sliding backwards on the smooth, wet grass. Only by the greatest presence of mind and daring did Elb throw the rear of the machine into a telegraph pole, and cramping the front wheels, start, not the car facing down hill again. So quickly did this happen that the hundreds of spectators gave three cheers for the plucky driver for his lucky escape and for the great performance of the car.

Among the passengers who made the climb in the six-seventy- Thomas are Jack Costello, Frank Ward, Elmer Huber, Stuart Gayness, Charles O'Day, Calvin C. Elb, Daniel Jeffords, F. J. Costello, J. H. Lanther, Thomas Ryan, Ralph Atkinson, W. M. Barr, Harry Snow, Bradley Hagen, C. H. Dunbar, Charles Allen, Herman Ebenritter, Frank Collins, R. L. Prosser, J. H. Harrison, W. C. Smith, L. H. Hare and Edward Kellog.

Elb took thirteen people up the same grade in a 1907 Thomas 4-cylinder car two years ago. That was the record until yesterday's performance.

The weight of the twenty-three passengers on the climb was close to 4000 pounds, and is undoubtedly the greatest test ever given a car.



THE THOMAS FLYER CARRYING TWENTY-THREE MEN UP THE FILLMORE-STREET HILL.

RACING TEAM FOR BUICK FACTORY

Strang and Burman to Tour Country

The most pertinent happening in the automobile world at large is the announcement that the Buick factory has engaged the well known racing drivers, Louis Strang and Robert Burman, to tour the country with the White Streak and the 40-horse-power Buick.

The racing team is being sent out because of the great attraction both of these types have attracted at large race meets this year. It was the White Streak which took the American honors at Savannah in the fall and now the 40-horse-power touring car has broken world's records for stock cars at New Orleans. The racing team will go over the country giving exhibition drives and going against rival cars of the same and different classes, to show the general public what this car can do as compared with cars of higher price.

Strang is well known as a professional driver, having been at one time allied with the Stearns, and having driven in several Vanderbilt races. In the last Vanderbilt cup race he drove a Renault.

Robert Burman has been driving for the Buick this year, and was with the White Streak at Savannah, and the 40-horse-power touring car at New Orleans.

POPE-HARTFORD OVERCOMES HILLS

Carries 4 Passengers up Powell and Cal. St. Hills to Fairmont

Hill climbing has become the fad both in San Francisco and Oakland, and well it may, for there are few cities which have such hills on which to demonstrate the power of the various machines. All week there have been official and unofficial hill climbing tests, and every dealer is looking for a hill which he can go over and which his competitor can't make.

The Consolidated Motor Car Company is feeling proud of a forty-horsepower Pope-Hartford touring car, which made an unusual record this week. With four passengers and a flying start, the Pope-Hartford shot by the St. Francis and up the three Powell-street hills, then up California street to the Fairmont, on the high speed. This is a feat which no other car has done so far. There is danger in it, of course, for a terrific speed has to be maintained and the trip has to be made at night because of the street cars, the pedestrians and their blue coated guardians. The stunt is to be repeated on Monday for the press.

WOMEN AND THE AUTOMOBILE INDUSTRY

Feminine Opinion Affects Manufacturers and Dealers

Women have played a very conspicuous part in the development of the automobile, according to many of the leading automobile men in this country, and are regarded by many of the manufacturers as having offered a very potent helping hand in the building of limousine and laundelet bodies; also the town car and the taxicab, both of which have appealed particularly to women.

Commenting on this phase of the automobile industry, Chester Y. Weaver, manager of the San Francisco branch of the Studebaker Brothers Company, of California, said yesterday:

"It was not long after the closed-carriage vehicle appeared abroad before the American body builder and manufacturer of the chassis combined forces to produce a like innovation in the industry, and today the foreign market offers nothing more luxurious, either from the standpoint of unique convenience, or upholstering, or beauty of lines, than those now being marketed in America. It was here that the carriagemaker quickly recognized his opportunity and the point where women first began to wield an influence over the industry.

"The feminine side of the house learned that someone had carried the motor industry far away from the day when her chief interest in the business was a great concern as to the safety of husband or brother who had taken a hand in the sport. Now she seriously interests herself in the design, the color and upholstering of the car with which she does her shopping, makes her calls and probably utilizes five evenings of the week.

"This demand is being fully met by the American manufacturers, some evidencing special enterprise in actually making all tpes of cars to the order of their customers. This is especially true of the Studebaker organization, which is fast occupying as prominent a place in the motoring field as it has enjoyed for years in the wagon and carriage industry."

Makes Long Trip

The first automobile to make the trip from Los Angeles to San Francisco after the heavy storm was a Regal roadster, bearing its owner, M. Abrams, a prominent Los Angeles capitalist.

In recounting his adventures to W. L. Jones, the Oakland representative of the Regal, Mr. Abrams said: "The roads were the worst that could possibly be imagined. In one place we drove for fifteen miles over the railroad ties and three-quarters of a mile over a trestle. Just outside of Santa Barbara we struck a landslide, and aside from a little trouble with the car there, it did not miss a stroke all the way up to San Francisco."

Mr. Abrams has owned several high-priced cars, but says he is as well pleased with his new Regal as he has ever been with cars worth three times its cost.

JACKSON ON FILLMORE STREET HILLS

Car Shows Up Well on Thirty-four Per Cent Grade

An excellent showing was made on the Fillmore-street hills on Friday, when a 1909 Jackson touring car, carrying a full load of passengers, climbed the first hill and stopped in the middle of the second at the steepest point, just in front of Ruef's house, to have a photograph taken. A crowd gathered around the machine to see if it would be able to start again and finish the climb.

After several pictures had been taken the driver opened the throttle and with one big tug the machine pushed its way up the hill until Broadway was reached. In the car were Roy Scott, the Jackson agent in San Francisco; E. R. Killup of the Jackson factory, Miss Elizabeth Gregg of THE TRIBUNE, and the Stockton representative of the Jackson.

TAXICABS FOR OAKLAND

F. A. Stewart Will Operate Stevens-Duryea Cabs

During the past week Oakland has seen the introduction of the taximeter cab. Following close upon the establishment of such a service in San Francisco, F. A. Stewart, who operates the largest and best equipped automobile livery business on this side of the bay, has secured a number of Stevens-Duryea limousines to which he has attached the taximeters.

Taxicabs have been slow in coming to the coast, and especially to the bay region. They have been in operation in the East and in Europe for several years and their popularity is attested by the fact that in New York alone there are hundreds of these little cabs in the service, busy day and night.

The main advantage of the taxicab is that the rate per hour is much less than the livery rate for touring cars. One is charged according to the distance traveled and the time consumed in waiting, the meter automatically indicating the fare to be paid to the driver. The charges are very reasonable—40 cents per mile for two people and 60 cents for four people, with a minimum cost of 50 cents.

The cars obtained by Mr. Stewart are exceedingly neat and comfortable, and this fact, together with the fare asked, should make them very popular. For theater and party work and social and business calls the taxicab is the ideal conveyance. Oakland has long been in need of some such service and it is hoped that the public will give it encouragement in the way of support and patronage.

AUTOMOBILE TRADE ASSOCIATION MEETS

The Automobile Trade Association of Alameda county held a very enthusiastic and well attended meeting Friday evening at the Keystone garage, Robert W. Martland presiding. Five new members signed the roll. The runs and tours committee made an exhaustive report, covering the contemplated events which will come under their supervision during the coming season. The by-laws of the association were read for the last time and adopted. Another meeting will be held at the same place next Friday evening, March 12.

"Oakland offers prospective automobile owners more opportunities for learning just what they have a right to expect from a good automobile than any of the other cities about the bay," says W. L. Loos, the Oakland agent for the Studebaker E-M-F "30" car. "Here we have hills of all kinds and roads that are good and bad, paved and unpaved, stretches of road whereon we can speed, and taken all together San Francisco, with her parks and driveways, does not stand comparison when it comes to thoroughly enjoying the pleasures that can be obtained by automobiling. As an indication of this, one needs but to mention the fact that San Francisco's automobiling populace usually comes over to Alameda county on Sundays to get the most out of its cars."

"Can the model 17 Winton go some? Well, I guess yes," said Charles Lauffer. "Last Sunday, while endeavoring to ascertain if there was really any limit to the speed of my new Winton Six, I was suddenly interrupted by a man behind a star who called my attention to the fact that the State of California has a law governing the speed of automobiles and, as I was breaking this law to the extent of

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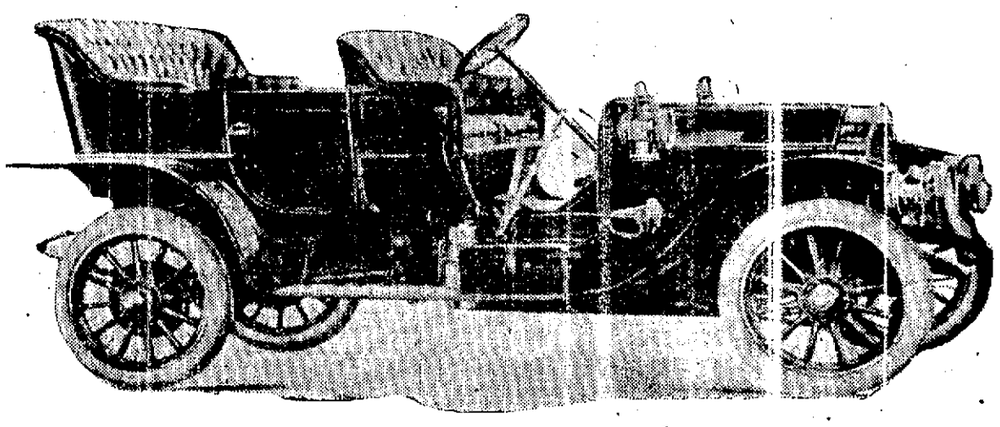
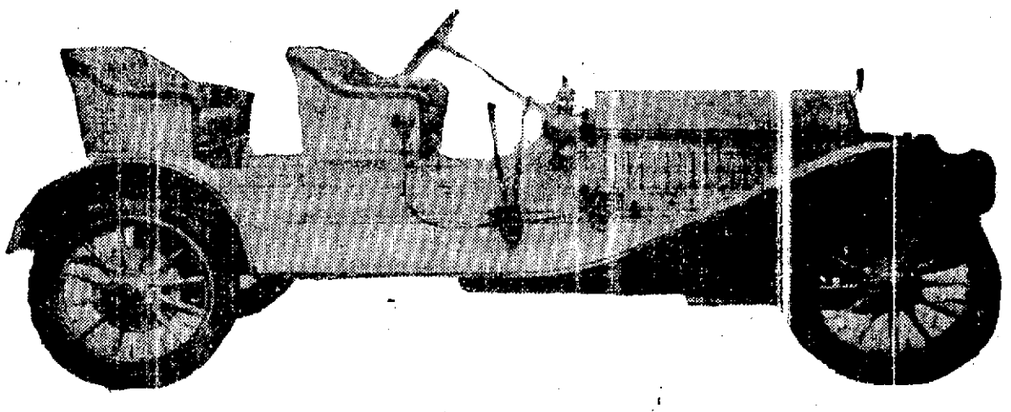


40 H. P. Touring Car, $1900, f. o. b., Oakland or S. F.

The Buick Auto Agency will receive this week the first carload shipment of the 40 H. P. car, the same model which broke the world's 100-mile, 50-mile and one hour record for stock touring cars on a circular track at New Orleans on February 21st.



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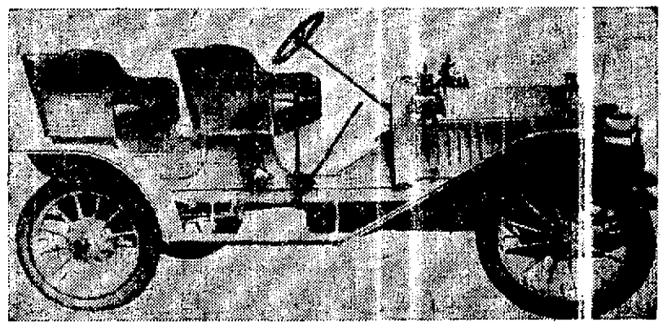
Within 30 days the above car, the 40 H. P. Buick Roadster, will be seen on the coast for the first time. This is the car which created such a sensation at the New York Show this year. It may be had in surrey type or with baby tonneau.



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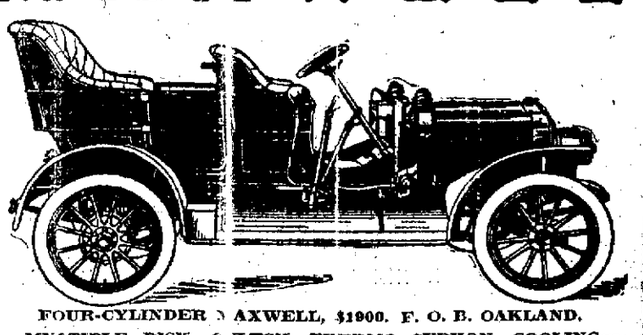

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LABOR LEADER MAKES GREAT FIGHT

J. W. Smart, Who Is Well Known In This City, Makes Statement

When a representative of THE TRIBUNE called at the office of J. W. Smart, president of Carmen's Union, Division No. 192, in Castle Hall yesterday afternoon in regard to his candidacy on the Citizen's party ticket for Councilman-at-large it was to find him talkative on nearly every other topic than politics. The welfare of his union and union matters in general so take up his time and thoughts that it was found hard to get him to express his views politically. Mr. Smart said:

"Believing that the best interests of organized labor would be served by having a representative in the City Council and having been urged at different times by friends of the movement to become a candidate, I finally consented to have my name placed upon the ticket.

"It must not be understood, however, that because I am a union man that that interest is the only one I would represent. Not so. If the people of our city elect me to the City Council I pledge my word as a man and citizen that the interests of each and every man will be given equal care and solicitude. I am a firm believer of government by the people and shall maintain this to the best of my ability.

"After much experience in handling the business of a large labor organization, also in assisting smaller unions while president of the Labor Council, I have come to the conclusion that to secure from employes the proper consideration, conservative and business-like methods must obtain. And recognizing this fact I believe it to be the duty of those entrusted with labor leadership to enlarge as much as possible their sphere of influence in gaining prestige at every point possible that their standing among employers of labor may be unquestioned from the very fact that people other than those in the ranks of labor have placed them in positions of confidence.

"In dealing with the company which employs our members I have found that a proper consideration for their side of the question at issue has always produced the best results. Consequently I advocate these methods, especially in matters pertaining to the welfare and convenience of the general public.

"If the people of Oakland should see fit to elect me to the office of Councilman-at-large on March 8th I shall spare no efforts to conscientiously serve their interests and work for the welfare and advancement of our city."

Mr. Smart was first actively brought to the attention of the public through the great voting contest of THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE, and is making a splendid canvass.

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CLAY STREET AT TWELFTH

DEATH HELPS REDUCE INDEBTEDNESS OF TOWN

WORCESTER, Mass., March 6.—By the death of Mrs. Lyman Jennings at Orange yesterday at the age of 89 years, the town of Athol, Mass., will save $180 a year. In 1876 Athol was practically bankrupt and Mrs. Jennings' husband advanced the city $9000 with a stipulation that he was to receive $540 a year until he died, his wife $180 a year, and their daughter, who is now married, $120 a year until her death. Jennings did not die until 1907 at the ripe old age of 96. Mrs. Jennings lacked only three months of being 90 when she expired yesterday. The daughter is still alive and drawing her $120. For the original $9000, counting from the date of the loan to the opening of this year's account, Athol has paid just $16,200.

SNOW GOING QUICKLY BETOKENS EARLY SPRING

YOSEMITE, March 6.—The snow on the floor of the valley and parts of the high cliffs has been diminishing very rapidly and with every indication of an early spring, although this morning the inhabitants were awakened by the whistling wind and with a peep through the windows learned, with much glee, that the valley was in the grip of the snow king, a foot of snow having fallen during the last six hours, with no signs of the storm abating. The government employes are endeavoring to keep the roads open with a snow plow and no interruption to traffic is anticipated.

DIVORCE QUESTION EXCITES WISE MEN OF LEGISLATURE

American System Is Progressive Polygamy

(San Francisco Leader, March 6, 1909.)

The wise men of the Legislature are mightily exercised over the question of divorce. If one should examine their own matrimonial misadventures he might find the reason why so many of the Solons get hot under the collar when there is a word said about restricting the peculiar American institution of progressive polygamy. Divorce is a subject one can no longer refer to in mixed company. One never knows on whose corns he is treading.

The main argument in favor of free and easy divorce is that it relieves domestic unhappiness. One bright particular genius who was quizzing a preacher, said, "Some homes are hell, and it is your business to abolish hell." That fellow will never go to hell. His destination is the limbus stultorum, the place or state reserved for congenital idiots.

Remarriage Is Center

The whole center of the divorce question is not the separation of warring consorts, but the privilege of remarriage. If a man and a woman make a mess of the married life once, it seems to us to be the clear duty of the state to protect the public from them. If a man gets the yellow fever we have no hesitation in segregating him. His wife may be broken-hearted and his children hungry, but we believe that their tears are a small price to pay for the public safety. Who would permit a known leper to roam abroad on the plea that to confine him would make his home a hell? Who would abolish jails on the argument that a criminal's innocent mother must bear the shame? There are many cruel things we must do for the safety of the state, and though the American people do not see it, the abolition of divorce is one of them.

What the Protestant preachers, and especially the Episcopalians, want talking about divorce, passes our comprehension. If Henry VIII had not been so anxious to get a divorce from his lawful wife, there would have been no Episcopalians. Luther was more frank about the matter when he allowed Philip of Hesse to have two wives at the same time on the ground that what was good for Abraham should not be denied the new children of Abraham. The Christian world got on very well without divorce for fifteen centuries, and the successors of the preachers who opened the flood-gates of divorce cannot now logically complain of the torrent. The fathers have eaten sour grapes and the children's teeth are set on edge.

Only Two Attitudes

There are only two logical attitudes toward marriage, the one is the attitude of the Catholic church, which allows separation from bed and board, but denies the privilege of remarriage, and the other is the attitude of the Mormons, which permits a man to marry as many wives as he can support or are willing to support him. The present American compromise of permitting a man to marry as many wives as he pleases, provides he lives with only one at a time, is an outrage, not only on decency, but on common sense.

Divorce is like a leak in a levee. You can't regulate it. There is only one thing to do and that is to stop it. Otherwise there will soon be no levee. The argument of the unhappiness of homes and all that sentimental tommy-rot is met with the great fact that homes in countries which allow no divorce are just as happy, to say the least, as homes in countries which allow divorce. It is also evident to every person of experience that divorce is the remedy of out of the frying-pan into the fire. If a quarreling husband and wife knew that they were tied together for good, they would learn to give and take, to bear and forbear. Finally, if there be such a case as cannot be composed the Church's permission to live apart should be enough. To allow the guilty party to marry again is to reward guilt. As to the prohibition of the remarriage of the innocent party, that is one of the penalties of society like the punishment of the wife and children of a criminal. It is an inexorable rule. "One man must die for the people."

Automobile Trade Association Meets

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about forty-five miles an hour, he took me to jail and as a result I am now $10 poorer than when starting out on my testing trip, but, believe me a ride in a model 17 Winton at the speed I was going is worth $10 any day of the week."

The first of the new model autocars will leave the factory within the next few days. Walter C. Morris, the agent, is already busy booking orders for the cars.

Auburn sales for the week are as follows: Dr. C. H. Taylor, two-cylinder roadster; Sampson Brush Co., four-cylinder touring car; Jameson Bros., Ukiah, and James A. Brown of Healdsburg, four-cylinder touring cars.

A Maxwell Junior was sold during the week to John Hanson, the wholesale coffee merchant at Fifth and Clay streets. Mr. Hanson is satisfied that the Maxwell Junior is just the business car he has been looking for for years.

The Jones Auto Company has taken the exclusive agency for Hartford tires in Alameda county.

The Diamond Rubber Company is just in receipt of a letter from McClay & Black reporting on their several cars in the rent service in Los Angeles, and to which is attached a statement of the mileage had from Diamond Tires during the past several months.

It is interesting to note along the line of advancement in the quality of tires that the 15 Diamond Mountain Tread Casings used on these machines had given an average of nearly 6000 miles each.

When it is taken into consideration that the rental service is unusually severe upon tires, it speaks well of the Diamond Mountain Tread Type Casing.

A. C. Hull, the Maxwell agent, said yesterday: "If the roads would dry out the automobile business would be better than it has ever been. As it is, I am busy all the time, and have sold any number of 1909 cars already. The outlook for the season is excellent."

Dr. Huntington, J. Chabot, Dr. Pomeroy and Mr. Oppenheimer have taken delivery of their 1909 Buicks this week. Dr. Huntington left yesterday for San Jose with his family, and will spend several days out of town. Carl Christensen, the Buick agent in Oakland, says that Dr. Huntington is one of the most promising drivers he has among this year's beginners.

AUTOMOBILE NOTES

A mutually satisfactory sale was made this week, when Dr. G. B. N. Clow purchased a fully-equipped Regal roadster from the Jones Auto Company. On Friday morning the doctor visited the salesrooms and looked at the Regal, took half an hour's demonstration, and said, "There's no need for me to look further. I'll take this car." In view of the fact that Dr. Clow has owned several cars, his approval of the Regal carries weight.

The Auburn still holds the Chandler-Lyon cup for the record run from San Francisco to Del Monte and return. Because the bad roads have rendered the making of a better record doubtful no one has tried it but the Tourist, which, several weeks ago, made the run, but was arrested in passing through one of the towns on the home run and had to give up the run. At the time of the arrest the Tourist was only four minutes ahead of the Auburn's time, and it is very doubtful if it would have kept that advantage until San Francisco was reached, as the worst roads were yet to be encountered, and darkness would have been a further hindrance to speed. So the handsome silver cup still decorates the Auburn salesrooms and adds to the popularity of an already popular car.

Going over a steep hill at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour, suddenly going into a mud hole over the front wheels, was the experience of Jean Bemb, the expert from the Chalmers-Detroit factory, who made a trip last week with a party of friends over the road in Marin county. "With J. L. Ray and three others we started out for a tour of the country," said Bemb. "I was driving Ray's Chalmers-Detroit car, and was hitting up a clip of about twenty-five miles an hour over one of the grades, when, on crossing the summit, I saw a hole across the road, and although I threw on the brakes and shut off the power, we were so close to the hole our car plunged to the top of the wheels in about two seconds. After an hour's strenuous work by all of the party we again got the car on the dry ground. Of all the roads in the country, those in Marin county are certainly the worst I have encountered. I would advise all motorists to drive over them with care."

J. R. Burnham, an Oakland capitalist, has ordered from the Consolidated Motor Car Company a Franklin Model D surrey.

The Howard Automobile Company delivered one of the 1909 Buick "White Streaks" on Tuesday to F. E. Irving of the Paraffine Paint Company.

A letter has been received by the Frank O. Renstrom Company from the manufacturers of the Fullman automobiles, in which they state they met with grand success at the recent automobile shows in the East and had to refuse numerous applications for agencies, as their entire output, for this season, is contracted for by their appointed agents. They are building an addition to the factory and their force is working day and night in order to fill their orders.

Since the arrival of the first four-cylinder Auburn three weeks ago the Auburn Motor Car Company has sold twenty-two cars of that model. Fifteen of them are now on their way here from the factory, insuring a quickness in delivery which is most gratifying to the man who wants to run his new car.

Among those who have recently bought Auburns are Al Griffin of Oakland, Ben Waterfall of San Jose, W. Parker Lyons of Fresno, Geo. C. Fuller of Sausalito and Dr. Fister and A. Axford of San Francisco.

A very interesting rubber test was held at the factory of Maitland, Peart & Elkington, Oakland agents of Diamond Tires. The rubber from which their Clinch Tread is made showed 25 per cent more strength and extreme toughness than that of many other grades of rubber tested. By using this very fine grade of Up River Para on their retreads, their slogan, "When our retreads are worn out their cost will be forgotten," will stand any test.

BALTIMORE IS STILL ISOLATED

Washington, Too, Has Strenuous Task to Recover From Inaugural Storm

BALTIMORE, March 6.—Despite every effort of large gangs of workmen through the storm area, Baltimore remained cut off today from telegraphic communication. Steam train traffic was still congested, also. The wireless and the electric cars between here and Washington offered practically the only means of keeping Baltimore in touch with outside points.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The suburban roads about Washington are strewn with fallen telegraph and telephone poles, broken in two, and wires either in a network on the ground or tottering on poles.

The first report is being received at Washington and sent to the whole country by means of a single wire to Atlanta, Ga.

LATE SPORTS

New Record Set for Bowling at Chicago Tournament.

PITTSBURG, March 6.—Chicago set a new world's record on the new tournament drives at Duquesne gardens here, where the ninth annual tournament of the American bowling congress started its second week tonight, when the Lipmans of that city rolled a total of 2982. The mark is 35 pins ahead of the former mark of 2927, posted by the Bonds of Columbus last year.

The team's totals were 985, 979, 998.

Frank Bartsch was the hero of the engagement, with an average of 239 1-3, eight pins less than Wengler's mark, which is the greatest series ever recorded under national tournament conditions.

The ex-national champions, O'Learys, were on the same squad and rolled 2590 after a bad start, while the Bricks got 2582. The O'Donnells were low team on the squad with 2528, one of the lowest totals in the present meet. The Douglas squad, a local team, was paired with the Lipmans and the speed of the Chicagoans carried them along, with 2678 for third place in the standing.

The women's end of the tournament drew a new leader tonight when the Kingston Ladies' Club of St. Louis rolled on alleys 7 and 8 while the five-men teams were on. The St. Louisans got a total of 2181, having a good start with 802 in the first game.

Mackay Won

NEW ORLEANS, March 6.—With a little more strength "Bill" Mackay would have put Eddie Kelly down for the count tonight. In the ten-round fight at the Ronal Athletic Club, Kelly hung on and stayed the limit. Mackay earned his decision, landing on Kelly's face and jaw and having him all but out in the eighth.

Outpointed Lewis

PHILADELPHIA, March 6.—Tommy Sullivan outpointed Harry Lewis in the wind-up at the National Athletic Club before a big crowd tonight.

Water Polo

NEW YORK, March 6.—The crack water polo team of the New York Athletic Club defeated the seven representing the University of Pennsylvania in their contest in the sportsman's show at Madison Square Garden today by the score of 5 goals to 2.

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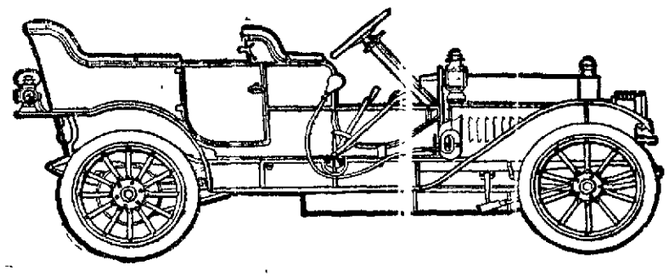

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STREET CAR EMPLOYES FAVOR BILL THEY OPPOSE

LOS ANGELES, March 6.—The local street carmen, who are signing petitions asking the Legislature to defeat the bill introduced by Senator Anthony, affecting their interests, are not really opposed to the measure, but are attaching their signatures because petitions also are being circulated by representatives of the railroad companies. Many of the men favor the measure and believe it would be beneficial to them, but fear to attach their signature to the petitions against it. Officials of the street car companies deny that they are interested one way or the other in the bill. The bill provides an eight-hour day and fixes the compensation therefore at $3.

YE LIBERTY TO STAGE UNIQUE FRENCH PLAY

Manager Bishop of Ye Liberty Theater is considering the production in the near future of a play which promises to be a treat to the theater-goers of Oakland, from the pen of that great French writer, Emile Zola. It has been adapted for the English stage by D. T. Callahan, M. D. author of "Robespierre," "Anne Boleyn," "Earl of Essex," "Legion of Honor" and the latest London success, "The Great Mogul." The title is "Ducky Gold." A year ago it was presented in London, where it attracted much attention and received great praise from the press. It has never been produced in America. The play is said to differ from the usual form of drama, dealing with a theme novel to the stage.

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COFFROTH HAS GREAT LIGHTWEIGHT CARD

Phoenix Team Plays White Sox Tomorrow

The Chicago Americans will meet a college nine for the first time this year when they play the crack Phoenix team of St. Mary's College tomorrow afternoon at 2:15 at Freeman's Park. The boys from the Catholic institution will send its strongest men in the field and Leonard, who scored a shut-out against the Stanford varsity players, will be on the firing line. His arm is in fine shape and the mighty Chicagoans might find it a little difficult to solve his twists and benders.

In the White Sox line-up will be seen the stars that brought the pennant down two years ago and the world's championship. Billy Sullivan has not decided who he will send on the mound, but very likely a relay of twirlers, embracing Sutor, Scott, Martin and Walsh, will be used.

The Phoenix team has yet to lose its first game this season. Twice the University of California tossers bit the dust and the same fate befell the Cardinals when they clashed with the collegians.

White Sox-Angel Game Called Off

LOS ANGELES, March 6.—The exhibition game between the Chicago White Sox and Angels scheduled at Schute Park this afternoon was declared off on account of wet grounds. The Chutes diamond has just been filled in with several layers of new soil which, under the downfall of rain this morning, transferred the park into a regular mud hole.

Tomorrow morning's game will be played in Vernon, on Jack Doyle's south side athletic park. The second game tomorrow will be played at Chutes Park in the afternoon.

Members of Squad No. 1 of the Chicago White Sox: Standing From Left to Right—Isbell, Martin Walsh, Fiene, Owen, Dougherty, Tannehill, Cravath, Hahn and Sutor. Lower Row, From Left to Right—Spencer, Smith, Parent, Sullivan, Flannigan and Atz.

Monte Attell Signs To Meet Harry Dell

The North End Club signed Monte Attell and Harry Dell to box fifteen rounds as a preliminary to the Powell-Sayers fight, to take place at the Dreamland Pavilion March 26. Dell has been anxious to get a chance at Attell for a long time and has been challenging him at every opportunity. Attell grew tired of the stalling tactics of the Coulon family and believing that a bird in the hand is better than one in New York, he accepted the offer of the North End people. Monte is to get the big end of the money, win, lose or draw.

Coming Champion, Says Frank Erne

PARIS, March 6.—Frank Erne, who is the physical instructor of the Volney Club of Paris, says he has found the coming world's champion middleweight. His man is Marcel Moreau, a young, husky, who is "faster," Erne says, than anything he ever handled in his life. Moreau's improvement in the last five weeks has been phenomenal. Erne said: "I think I have got a French champion and I want to say this, if ever a Frenchman does become a world's champion this country will be a mecca for fighting men from the world over. No one loves a fight as Frenchmen do; their whole history consists of delight in combat. Once they get a champion in their own country they will go wild over the sport. The business has been mismanaged, mixed up with music hall stunts, but even as it is, more money has changed hands on sporting matters in Paris in the last two years than in any city, including London or New York."

This opinion is shared by Willie Lewis and Kid McCoy.

ENGLAND BOASTS THREE BEST BOXERS WHO BATTLE LIKE OLD-TIME FIGHTERS

John Bull's Men Are Old Style Boxers

Old Time Critics Say That American Fighters Will Have to Copy Tactics of By Gone Days

By EDDIE SMITH.

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ENGLAND is being given considerable credit just at present and, lest you forget it, she is taking all that is coming and a bit more for the clever mitt men she has sent to this country within the last year. These men are all of the smaller class, two being featherweights and one a lightweight. The former are Owen Moran and Jem Driscoll and the latter Freddie Welsh.

It is not the purpose of this article to belittle the achievements of the men from England, but simply to state that the fact that these young men are successful in their chosen profession is proof of the fact that the old-time men of the boxing game are right when they say that we have no fighters of today who could compete with the boys who have passed their day in the ring, and by this I mean the men of, say, ten years ago.

The wail of these old-timers has been that we have no really great mitt men because they do not learn to box right before they start climbing up the ladder of fame. The youngster who does not believe this right, however, points to the fact that baseball, football, and all other kinds of athletics, have improved as well as the every-day mechanical contrivances whose improvement has been simply wonderful as proof that this theory is wrong.

Great Boxers

The fact that Driscoll, Moran and Welsh are of a class known as boxing fighters, whose styles are patterned after the boys of old, has been pointed out as proof of the correctness of the statement, however.

Driscoll, from what can be learned, is a straight puncher with the old short-arm jabs and his foot work is reported almost perfect. We have seen Moran and we have heard the old boys say that he reminded them of the good old timers whose passing they would always regret, and although Welsh is of the awkward type of boxer, whose cleverness and manner of boxing is distinctly his own, the fact remains that he is not the swinging, crouching, homely fighter such as many of the best men who have developed during the past few years.

And if you are the least bit doubtful of the cleverness of this trio all you have to do is to remember that Moran has fought Abe Attell twice to a draw in long-distance contests and that Welsh and Driscoll have both been credited with having had some the better of their contests with the American, who, since the passing of Joe Gans, is recognized as our premier boxer.

As another proof of the fading of the art of boxing some point to the show Gans made of Attell while they were training at Alameda, and, as Gans is a production of about seventeen years ago, the boys from a generation back look upon him as one of their men.

Must Become Clever

Some day I am going to try and show the readers of this paper just why it is that the men of today are inferior boxers and hope by so doing to start a few of the rising boxers in the right direction, but at the present time we must admit that we have nothing but a lot of swinging, mauling, awkward mitt men who are anything but pretty to look upon, and as the short distance contests are becoming all the rage it will be well for some of the men who expect to make a living out of the fight game to study a few of the finer points of the art or old John Bull will grab many of our championships.

England has no good big men and perhaps never will again, for the fans of boxing in that country show a preference to the little fellows and will not be patient with the floundering of big novices.

Our advice to J. B. is to not brag too much, however, for as soon as the American boys get next to the fact that it takes a man with science to be a real champion they will develop men who will everlastingly lambaste those Britishers.

Men who are as tough and strong as Battling Nelson can get away with the long end of a purse by bulldog tenacity, but even the Battler in a short distance contest would have a hard job beating Welsh and Driscoll, and there are any number of men who would bet that Welsh can beat the Dane at any distance.

Old Timers to Meet

What I would consider a rather pitiful spectacle is about to be enacted in New York, and I say this with a longing that I might be there to witness it, even though it will be somewhat a mockery. On the 12th of this month Joe Gans, in his day the premier boxer of this country, and Jabez White, also the premier of his country in the days of his youth, are to meet in a ten-round contest.

Six or seven years ago, when both of these men were at their best, a contest between them would have been worth going over the back fence to see, but as they are today it seems but a mockery of the ability that each possessed.

White at one time was the greatest lightweight that England boasted of and he was some fighter too and don't you forget it. Four years ago he was brought here by English Charlie Mitchell to fight Jimmy Britt. The writer refereed the contest and what White did to our Jimmy during the first ten rounds was a sample of what would have happened if the two had met on equal terms as to age.

In the last round I stopped the contest when White was all in and hanging to the ropes from a punch to the jaw that was a wild swing and far and away too wide to ever hit him had he been anything but tired out.

Both Have Passed Day

Then it was that it was predicted White had passed his day in the ring and he returned to England with every fan who saw him work saying that it was a shame that he had not visited this country in his palmy days.

That Gans has passed his day of usefulness in the ring was told in the easy manner in which Nelson defeated him the last time out, and to top all this off, Joe has been anything but a well man for the past months at Baltimore.

What the one time great colored fighter is suffering from no ones seems to know, but from letters written here it is certain that he has been anything but right in health.

The old timers are about on an equal in so far as funds are concerned and, I suppose, like the race horse whose day is past as a speed marvel and for profit, is sold to a horse car company, they must work to get the necessary funds to live with. White has a road house in England and Gans a hotel at Baltimore, but something must be wrong with both of these old timers, or they would not be taking any more chances in the ring.

Use of Oxygen

Some time back we were informed that the use of oxygen was being tried on the runners of several of the Eastern universities, but as yet nothing definite regarding the outcome of the experiments has been published. It fell to the lot of that ingenious little fighter, Young Corbett, to try it in the ring, however, and the reports from Schnectady, N. Y., where Corbett met Bob Wilson, say that the trial was found all to the good.

Several times during the contest Corbett was in a bad way at the end of a round, but by a shot of the old stuff he came up rosy and fresh. We have often heard of some fighter being given a shot of hop, in hope of putting new life into him; in fact, it is said that one of the present champions of the ring goes to the scratch well loaded, but this is the first of the oxygen boys.

Manager Christian, acting for Wilson, claims that the use of oxygen was responsible for his man not winning, and argues that he was unfairly treated by the referee allowing the use of the new restorative.

Corbett Smart

To our way of thinking, Mr. Christian was not cheated in any way, but sadly outwitted, for there can hardly be a ban placed on the use of the oxygen restorative, any more than the smelling-uses to clear the head of a pugilist.

The oxygen was given the fighter by means of a huge bag or hood, in which the oxygen is stored, and the effects are said to have been wonderful. This experiment has been tried in England many times and it is said has proven helpful, especially with the football players, who are given a liberal shot just prior to the opening of the game.

If Young Corbett used the oxygen with success, to him belongs the credit of introducing it to the ring fraternity, but it is just possible that the old war horse faked it, and that the had nothing but a bag of wind, for it would not be the first time that he has fooled fighters with clever tricks.

But suppose that it was not a fooler, and that Corbett really did use the new reviver, the effect will be that many an all-in fighter will be revived in time to go on with the next round and perhaps win a hopelessly lost contest.

Elixir of Life Is Discovery of Corbett

Denverite Springs New One on Opponent and Proves Value of Oxygen to Fatigued Fighters

Stanford Wins From St. Mary's Track Team

The track teams of St. Mary's College and Stanford Freshmen met yesterday afternoon at the local stadium and, after an exciting meet, the latter won a majority of the field and track events by a score of 79 points to 43. The best work of the collegians was performed by Hughes and Dickson. Hughes won both hurdles, and Dickson the pole vault, shot-put and broad jump.

Program of Events

Track—Two-mile run—Won by Newman (S.); second, R. Howden (St. M.); third, W. Howden. Time—10:54.

100-yard dash (first heat)—Won by Millsap (S.); second, Sepulveda (S.). Second heat—Won by Coleman (S.); second, Starrett (St. M.).

120-yard high hurdles—Won by W. Hughes (St. M.); second, Doran (St. M.); third, Whitney (S.).

100-yard dash (final)—Won by Coleman (S.); second, Millsap (S.); third, Sepulveda (S.). Time—:11 4-5.

440-yard dash—Won by King (S.); second, D'Artney (St. M.); third, Dickinson (S.). Time—:59 1-5.

One-mile run—Won by Burke (St. M.); second, M. Lean (S.); third, Smith (St. M.). Time—5:09.

220-yard hurdles (first heat)—Won by Arrell (S.); second, Leadhardt (St. M.). Time—:31 1-5. Second heat—Won by Hughes (St. M.); second, Whitney (S.). Time—:30 2-5.

220-yard dash (first heat)—Won by Coleman (S.); second, Millsap (S.). Second heat—Won by Sepulveda (S.); second, Starrett (St. M.).

220-yard hurdles (finals)—Won by Hughes (St. M.); second, Arrell (S.); third, Whitney (S.). Time—:29 3-5.

220-yard dash (finals)—Won by Coleman (S.); second, Millsap (S.); third, Starrett (St. M.). Time—:24 4-5.

880-yard run—Won by Sanborn (S.); second, Haskett (S.); third, Scholten (St. M.). Time—2:20 1-5.

Field Events

Hammer-throw—Won by Wooley (S.); second, Peake (S.); third, Walker (St. M.). Distance, 132 feet.

Pole vault—Won by Dickson (St. M.); second, Peake (S.); third, Walker (St. M.).

High jump—Won by Van Dyke (S.); second, Doran (S.); third, Dickson (St. M.). Height, 5 feet 3 inches.

Shot put—Won by Dickson (St. M.); second, Van Dyke (S.); third, Walker (St. M.). Distance, 36 feet 5 inches.

Broad jump—Won by Arrell (S.); seconds, Dickson (St. M.); third, Leonhardt (St. M.). Distance, 20 feet 5½ inches.

880-yard relay, four men, 220 yards each—Won by Coleman (S.), Millsap (S.), Sepulveda (S.) and Whitney (S.).

Officials—Referee, Sidney S. Peixotto; starter, Al Crossfield; clerk of course, Joseph Hickey; assistants, H. Simpson, J. Doran; timers, J. Molton, Irving McClinnis; announcer, Otto Beck; judges of finish, W. Wilcox, W. Wallace, C. Hillman; inspectors, T. Fitzsimmons, R. Miller, T. Hogan; field judges, W. Grundell, E. Wilkinson.

Young Fernwoods Victors

The Young Fernwood ball tossers beat the Young Carmonts by the score of 7 to 3, Friday afternoon. Quinto Magatti pitched a fine game for the Fernwoods, walking two men, striking out six. Lisle McKim knocked a three-bagger, scoring two runs.

OAKS PLAY WHITE SOX TODAY

Today's line-up of teams:

Oakland	Position	White Sox
Carroll	right field	Hahn
Cameron	first base	Cravath
Truesdale	second base	Isbell
McCay	third base	Altizer
Breyette	shortstop	Parent
Lewis	left field	Dougherty
Adams	center field	Flanagan
La Longe	catcher	Sullivan
Marx	catcher	Owen
Nelson	pitcher	Scott
Christian	pitcher	Spencer
Boice	pitcher	Sutor
Mair	pitcher	Walsh

There is only one thing that can prevent the scheduled game this morning at Freeman's Park between the White Sox Yannigans and the players representing the Oakland Coast League Club and that is the interference of Pluvius. If the weather clears up so as to make the grounds presentable in some sort of a shape by 10:10 there will be a tussle to see who will draw first blood. The local boys are firm in the belief that they can turn the trick and every effort will be made by them to start the ball rolling in championship style. Though the rains of the past few days has worked havoc on the training plans that Van Haltren and McCay had mapped out for the tossers, the handicap has fallen to the Chicagoans in almost as great a measure, so the teams on this score are on even terms. If rooting wins games the local fans promise to be out a couple thousand strong and the Hayward brass band will disperse music in quantity and quality enough to quicken the souls of the dead.

15 Players on Special

The special with fifteen players on board and a big contingent of Haywardites will roll out of Hayward this morning at 7:30 and the players expect to be at Freeman's by 9, about a half hour prior to the arrival of the big brush men who will take the Berkeley local upon arriving at the mole and get off at Golden Gate station. Right Fielder Howard Murphy, who was to have led off in batting, owing to a cold that has developed on his lungs, will not be seen in the line-up. Carroll will take his place.

Van has thought best to send 'Slim' Nelson to the mound for the first three innings, to be followed by Boice, Christian and Maire. Nelson complains of a sore back and Maire of a lame hip, but it is not believed that the condition of either is such to prevent their pitching. It is merely a case of soreness brought on by little too strenuous exercise. Tonnesen also has an attack of backitis.

Play Also in Hayward

Fans will have a chance to witness Umpire Sheridan in action, who will double either with McCarthy or McGreevy. Immediately following the contest, the special will return to Hayward for the game to be played in the afternoon, if the grounds permit it, with the Hayward nine. Captain Hammond from Alameda claims that he has a strong bunch to oppose the Oaks. McGregor, formerly of St. Mary's College and more recently star twirler on the Tacoma staff, will be in the pitcher's box for Hayward.

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The next game between the White Sox and the Oaks will be Wednesday afternoon, March 10, at Freeman Park.

Next Sunday afternoon the Oaks will play the Mosmer-Smith team, a fast semi-professional nine of Oakland under the management of J. Crotor that boasts in its lineup a speedy lot of ball tossers, including Second Baseman Quigley of Vancouver, last year's champions in the Northwest League.

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If satisfactory to St. Mary's, the Phoenix nine will see what they can do against the Oaks in two weeks, at Freeman's Park. Several other baseball aggregations, the Olympics, Yosemites and Golden Sheafs have made application to Secretary McFarland for dates and efforts will be made to accommodate them, also the University of California and Stanford.

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Bill Hogan, who has been passing the winter at McKittrick, will report to Van Haltren tomorrow. Ed Murphy gave notice to Manager Walter that he will leave Pennsylvania on the 10th and expects to arrive here on the 15th.

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Because of the rains yesterday the team did not train at Hayward, but put in their time taking marathon walks and short sprints.

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The second game that was to have been played yesterday afternoon at Recreation Park, between the Chicago White Sox and the Seals, had to be called off on account of wet grounds.

NELSON WILL MEET MAN OF HIS OWN HEART WHEN HE FIGHTS DICK HYLAND

'Fighting Dick' Made Start Here

Lad From Grass Valley Toughened Muscles by Working in Wine Cellar in San Francisco.

By W. W. NAUGHTON.

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IF BATTLING NELSON is as steadfast in the matter as Fighting Dick Hyland, there will certainly be a Hyland-Nelson match for the lightweight championship of the world at Coffroth's Mission-street arena during the month of May.

In ordinary times there is no occasion to question Nelson's good faith, but of late the Battler has been talking at random and giving his friends the idea that he has reached the flighty or whimsical stage.

For one thing, he proposed to take Welsh, Jabez White and Johnny Summers—youngsters who comprise the flower of England's fist-fighting stock—in a ring and dispose of them all at one standing. The largeness of this contract will be better understood when it is mentioned that Summers defeated Jimmy Britt, who defeated Nelson, while both Freddie Welsh and Jem Driscoll outboxed Abe Attell, who made Nelson look such a dunce at the Coliseum here not so long ago.

However, as the Battler discarded the idea of devastating pugilistic Great Britain without any regrets and turned to the promised match with Hyland, it may be that the Dane's threat of working havoc to King Edward's Queensberry subjects is merely one of Bat's little jokes. Any way, it is to be hoped that he will not fly off at a tangent, but keep his appointment with Hyland, for the match with Dick is one of these affairs which the more it is thought about the better it appears.

Patient Fighter

Dick Hyland is a quiet, unassuming lad. Although only 23 years of age, he is as solid in his bearing as a man of 40. And as he talks and acts, so he fights, namely, in a patient, plodding way. He is a clean-living fellow, who has no use for whisky or tobacco, and who, when not attending a theater or figuring in a glove contest, is in bed of nights at 11 o'clock.

In the matter of strength, sturdiness and endurance, Nelson will meet a man after his own heart. The lightweights will have so much in common, in fact, that the contest will be almost in the nature of a new experience for the Dane.

Nelson has always achieved the best results when pitted against clever fellows. He is a persevering waiter who knows how to suffer and wait, and he has made stepping-stones of talented boxers who proved lacking in stamina. Dick Hyland took to the ring as an amateur very young. He worked in a wholesale wine store in the daytime and his labors there constituted his training for ring events. What with hefting and hoisting barrels of grape juice, Dick developed extra strong arms, and he still has them. He thinks they will stand him in good need in the rough work that always attaches to a bout with the Dusky Dane, and for the rest he believes his broad shoulders and solid build generally will help him to give as good as he takes when he stacks up against the doughty Norseman.

Trained Together

"I've had to do with Nelson already in a small way," said Dick. "At that, he was doing me a friendly turn. It was when I was training to box Frankie Neil for my first fight as a professional. I was in camp out at Ocean Beach, and Nelson came there occasionally and put on the gloves with me. Now, it doesn't matter how friendly you may be with a man in your line, you are going to do some sizing up when the opportunity offers. And that's just what I did in Nelson's case. I only weighed 122 pounds in those years, but I found I was just as strong as Nelson, and there was nothing about his glove work to bewilder me. He showed me all his favorite digs and pokes—the little ones he puts in when the other fellow is trying to hold—and I think I have a pretty good notion of the best Nelson can do at infighting.

"I have never been on unfriendly terms with "Bat," but I have held the opinion for a couple of years past that I had a better chance of beating him than the men he has got past on his way to the championship. His strongest point is that he can take a terrible beating while waiting for the tide to turn. I believe I am just as well prepared for that kind of an experience as he is. With the exception of my first professional contest I have never been in trouble yet from the other man's blows. I have never been knocked off my feet or made to feel dizzy. I believe I am as strong as Nelson, that I can stand as much rough usage, and that I can hit a little harder than he does. Above all, I like a long distance, just as Nelson does. I have figured in many short bouts, but only because it was a case of signing up for that kind of a match or going without work. I am not discouraged because the contest happens to be an uphill affair. Nelson has signed to fight me forty-five rounds, and I think I will be able to wear him down in that time. I certainly will not go at him with the idea that I have to beat him quickly or be beaten. I will know that I am as strong as he is and as well qualified to take a hammering. I will know that I am younger than he by several years, and this, I think, will be a big point in my favor. Another thing about it is this: In most of the matches Nelson has triumphed in his opponents have had to pinch to make weight. I am a natural lightweight, just as he is, and if there was a class a few pounds lighter, even, I could box in it. When I met McFarland in Los Angeles I was only a shade over 130 pounds. Fighting at 133 is virtually fighting at catch-weights for me, for I go about my training with the idea of getting my wind in good shape, and I allow the weight to take care of itself. All things considered, I think I have an excellent chance of defeating Battling Nelson and becoming the lightweight champion of the world."

Manager Confident

Jack Perkins, who manages Dick Hyland, is evidently pleased at the prospect. Perkins says he could not wish a more suitable opponent for Hyland than the Dane. He says that the very qualities which made Nelson famous are possessed by Hyland, and that in addition Dick has on his side youth and the power to inflict a harder punch than Nelson.

"Hyland is a very modest fellow," said Perkins. "He fought a great many times in the East while I was directing his affairs, and it was very hard for me to get him to express an opinion as to the outcome of a match. When spoken to the generally says, 'I will do the best I can.' He has always had confidence in his ability to down Nelson. He used to say: 'There are two men I can surely beat—Rudy Unholz and Battling Nelson.' He made good when he got his chance against the Boer, and I think he will show that he knew what he was talking about when he tackles the Dane.

Hyland will begin to prepare him for the May contest without delay. For a while he will confine himself to roadwork and will not go into camp at one of the training quarters around the Coffroth has until April 15 to name the date of the battle, and as soon as the promoter has declared himself Hyland will chose a location and go into the regular routine of work.

Hyland is a native of Grass Valley, Cal., and was 23 years of age in October. Like Fitzsimmons, he had a Cornish father and an Irish mother. He is not as tall as Nelson by thre inches, but what he lacks in stature he makes up in beam. He is cool-headed and game with a fair amount of cleverness.

Nelson Resorting to Shifty Tactics

Dane and Hyland Have Trained Together and Each Claims to Know the Other's Weak Spots.

Picked Teams in Soccer Exhibition

(BY A. C. GOLLAN.)

The Vampires have kicked their last ball for the season—the Rovers put the quietus on the league champions last Sunday by repeating their previous performance in the league game. They were easy picking for the Oakland bunch, and a resume of the game would be out of place, as the "favorite" soccer team were really never in it. They really won the league, but if the Rovers had not suffered so many set-backs early in the season from injured players, the Vamps would never have gained that honor.

Outside of the Maroons, they are probably the next best team, as the Thistles have failed to play together when most needed. A sample of this was witnessed at Freeman's Park Sunday morning, when the Hornets beat them out of their chance of contesting the Vampires for the league championship.

A nasty incident of the Vampire-Rover game was the fistic duel between A. McKenzie and McLaughlin. Both men were ruled out of the game. The case of these players will come up for decision Monday evening.

A contemporary last Monday dubbed McLaughlin as an old offender, and accused him of shady playing throughout the season, and otherwise thought he should be severely dealt with. The writer differs, as the player he fought with repeatedly used questionable tactics, and, in my opinion, was more to blame than he was. McKenzie, the previous Sunday was well hooted for deliberately kicking Walters in the back when he was lying on the ground.

It is to be hoped that the association will hear both sides of the case impartially. A suspension in the case of the Vampire players can do that club no harm, but on the other hand if McLaughlin is suspended the local team would suffer.

The Albions are now practically on the final, having to meet either the Scottas, Building Trades, San Mateos or Sacramento Rovers, and as any of these teams is easy picking, the cup seems near at hand.

Reds Against Whites

At Eleventh and Mission streets, San Francisco, this afternoon, players chosen from all the clubs will play an exhibition game, from which the team to journey to Vancouver this month will be picked.

The association, thinking the Albion Rovers have been charging too much for Freeman's Park, have decided to play the game in San Francisco; and though their expenses will be triple what the local team asks, are confident that they will make more by doing so. This is impossible, as witness the receipts of Freeman's Park last Sunday, when there was a counter-attraction at San Mateo.

How much better it would be for the soccer sport if the magnates would get in and back up the local team, who have done so much for the game, by procuring and holding the only available enclosed football field at a large expense, Freeman's Park, and put the association on the financial basis it is today. And it appears to me to be bad business policy to rent other grounds at a greater expense.

Prominent Players

The teams will line up this afternoon as follows, with James Oskham as referee:

Reds—Goal, McFarlane (Vampires); right back, J. Smith (Thistles); left back, Dowding (San Francisco); right half, Anderson (Independent); center halfback, Doig (Burns); left halfback, McKiernon (Albion Rovers); forwards, outside right, Bernard (Vampires); inside right, Donahue (Independents); center, Elliot (Hornets); inside left, Balmain (Albion Rovers); outside left, Scott (Thistles).

Whites—Goal, McKitchie (Hornets); right back, Hunter (Vampires); left back, Selkirk (Albion Rovers); right halfback, Harris (Burns); center halfback, Grant (Independents); left halfback, Perkins (San Francisco); forwards, outside right, Walters (Albion Rovers); inside right, Cochrane (San Francisco); center, Singer (Vampires); inside left, Monro (Burns); outside left, Pike (Albion Rovers).

Reserves—Patterson (San Francisco), Middleton (Vampires), Dewar (Building Trades), Aitken (Albion Rovers), Highett (Independents).

CLAMOR, AT 25 TO 1, WINS WATERHOUSE CUP

KEENE'S TRICK RUNS OVER LEADERS IN STRETCH, DASHING UNDER WIRE THREE LENGTHS IN FRONT OF ANIMUS

Firestone Third, Bumped by Winner

Jockey Buxton Is Fined $50 by the Stewards for Interference

By LEE DEMIER

The Waterhouse cup, one of the richest prizes offered for long distance races at Williams Park, was won in impressive fashion yesterday afternoon by Clamor, a gritty five-year-old gelding from the stable of Keene Bros. The winner was quoted as high as 30 to 1 in the ring at post time, and the gameness which he displayed in overhauling his field, one by one, after being practically left at the post, filled his over-anxious backers' hearts with joy.

Clamor's breeding alone, aside from the impressive performances which he had shown in the past, should have entitled him to a much more careful consideration at the hands of the bookies. He is a son of Gold Heels, a one-time winner of the classic Suburban Handicap and the acknowledged champion of his day among the high-class distance performers of the Eastern circuits. His dam, Salvia, was also famous for her speed and gameness.

Eight classy thoroughbreds lined up at the barrier when the bugle had blown for the start of the big event. Logistilla was the only one of the overnight entries which declined the issue. The layers made the Williams entry, Firestone and Big Bow, equal favorites with Nadzu, Animus and Montgomery when the betting commenced, but the preponderance of the play was on Barney Schreiber's candidate, Animus, and he was the choice, at 13 to 5, at post time. Firestone assumed a commanding lead at the start and set the pace, with two or three lengths to spare, during the first mile and three quarters of the journey. Milford was his closest competitor during the first mile, with Animus and Nadzu well up.

Clamor was off badly and seemed to lose ground during the early stages of the race, causing his backers many anxious pangs. When the first mile and a quarter had been covered, however, he began to move up and when the stretch was reached he was passing the tiring leader. From there on it was only a romp for him and Buxton pulled him up sharply in front of the stand and allowed him to canter over the finish line. Animus came fast in the stretch and was an easy second, while the highly touted Firestone lasted long enough to capture the slim end of the purse, which was worth $5440 to the winner.

One of the closest finishes of the season occurred in the last race of the day, when Trois Temp and Bubbling Water passed over the line with scarcely a hair's breadth separating them. Many of the spectators thought that Bubbling Water had got up in time to win and there were some shouts of disapproval when Trois Temp's number was hung up. Although Bubbling Water was ahead a jump or two past the wire, the judges decided that she lacked a few inches at the winning post.

Clamor, at the pleasing odds of 25 to 1, tore down the stretch when all the others had cried enough and won the Waterhouse Cup, with a value of $5440, going away by several lengths. Little "Happy" Buxton had the mount, and taking the rail nearing the end of the second mile, he began mowing down the leaders and left them as if they were tied. Animus staggered into second place, four lengths in front of Firestone. The latter set all the pace and ran a remarkably game race at the distance. It was his class that carried him the distance. Montgomery showed no speed whatever.

Jockey Buxton was fined $50 by the stewards for cutting across in front of Firestone with Clamor and hampering the former's chances.

Ketchemike, the choice, cleverly won the initial event. Keogh always had him close to the pacemaker and assuming command on the last bend, handily outgamed his foe to the wire. May Amelia ran her usual consistent race, closing with a whirlwind rush, disposed of Pimkim for the place.

Ollie James ran right back to his last race and demonstrated that the bookies were out on line when they chalked up 13 to 1 against his chances. Taking the lead at the start, Chinn's colt opened up a big gap and the others could never overcome it. Balronia hung on well and shook off the determined bid of Indian Maid for the place. Inflection ran a very indifferent race. After showing a flash of speed she dropped back into the ruck.

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A. Konigsberg's Oaks winner, Rose Queen, forgot to stop and after making Bellwether call quits, she went on about her business and won the Grimstead Handicap in clever fashion. Tony Faust had all the better of the start but dropped back in the early running and although he finished stoutly at the end, could not overtake the winner. Orcagna ran a good race from a poor beginning and annexed the short end of the purse. Bellwether dogged it badly after going a smart three-quarters.

Barney Oldfield broke flying in the fifth and tiptoed his field the entire journey. The Peer was cut off when rounding the first turn and although he covered a world of ground he could not catch the pacemaker. Figent finished determinedly to be third.

Good Heathen Shows Improvement in Sport

With the good weather that prevailed the earlier part of the week, a great improvement was had in the class of horses performing and some excellent contests were the result. With the unprecedented spell of bad weather little could be expected in the way of races of class. Owners of thoroughbreds with any pretension to class would not take any chances with their animals and the official programme has had a rough road to travel, coming in for much unjust criticism, some of the daily papers taking issue with that official's cards, but with a few days of sunshine to put the track in anything like condition, it did not take long for the better class of performers to come out, and the best racing of the present season has been enjoyed by racing fans the earlier part of the week, some keen and exciting finishes stirring the blood of the enthusiasts to the boiling pitch.

The Kilgore Handicap Tuesday furnished one of those hair-raising finishes when the game little bull dog of racing, Booger Red, just did nose out Pajaroita after a ding-dong finish the entire length of the stretch. Again on the same day three other contests that took the keen eye of the judges to separate, gave patrons a day long to be remembered in racing annals.

Wednesday saw the first appearance, at the local track this season, of W. Walker's champion Stanley Fay, when the gallant son of Canopus won the Cassalt handicap in a hard drive from the tiring Rose Queen and Madman. The colt made a grand showing after a long absence from the game and will take some beating from now on.

It only goes to show that with anything like favorable weather and track conditions the local game will brighten up and some of the best sport ever witnessed on the coast will be on for the balance of the season.

The improved track conditions did not last for long, as the rains made their appearance on Wednesday and placed the track in an uncertain condition, but with the rainy season drawing to a close this season, racing will be brought to a close with plenty of high-class sport.

Considering the extremely long spell of rain, it is to be marveled at the excellent condition maintained, and not only does the management come in for commendation for the excellent showing, but as well the official handicapper who has arranged programs and speed contests out of the bad class of horses that have furnished some of the best sport of the season.

Program Book

The two-year-olds will hold down the boards the coming week, with the running of the first classic of the season for the youngsters, when the Undine stakes, at four furlongs, with $2000 added money, will be decided next Saturday. In former seasons the stake has been won by colts that have made their mark in the racing world and with this year's excellent crop of two-year-old colts and goldings the event is destined to maintain its high standard for class. With the opening of spring and bright prospects for good, warm weather, some of the best sport of the season is to be expected. On the same day the management has arranged a card that should bring out the classiest fields ever raced on the Coast. The Jerome handicap, at one mile and seventy yards, and the Peyton high-weight shandicap, at five and a half furlongs, are on for the same day. Other features for the week are the Stimpson handicap at six furlongs, Tuesday, and the Morris handicap at one and one-eighth miles, Wednesday, that should bring out good fields.

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Cheering news to turfmen was made known at New York recently at the offices of the Coney Island Jockey Club. Eligibles for the Lawrence Realization and Tidal stakes, which together will be worth about $35,000, were announced, and this is the first official intimation that these time-honored stakes will be run this year. The Coney Island Jockey Club adds $10,000 to the Lawrence Realization.

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When Blagg won the closing event on Thursday the best planned coup of the season was pulled off and the Emeryville ring suffered to the tune of many thousands. Patsy Phillips, on the winner, made his first appearance in the saddle for a long time.

The "hunch" players had an inning when Coppertown and Coppers won on the same day at the juicy odds of 80 to 1 each. When the first named won, the pikers could not get away from the similarity of names, and placed their small change on Willie Spence's cast-off.

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"Red" Walker can safely be named the "lucky" horseman. When his recent acquisition, Orcagna, won the one mile and seven furlongs heat from a clever field of distance performers on Tuesday, the gelding cost the Canadian turfman but $250 shortly before shipping up here from Arcadia, and has won four straight races, besides finishing third in his other two starts. The gentleman with the "red top" has surely got it on the other fellows and any time this shrewd owner takes a horse you can bet there will be something gotten out of the animal.

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It is gratifying to see the improvement shown among the pigskin artists.

Grimstead Handicap Won by Rose Queen

Ollie James, at 13 to 1, Makes Show of Clever Youngsters

Little Deverich, now that he has had a chancechance to get on some live ones, is showing the "fans" he can ride some. Taplin, the find of the season, is keeping his good work up and is destined to become one of the stars of the turf, while Butler has gotten in his stride and is putting up some clever finishes. Again little "Happy" Buxton, who has been put up on horses all winter that have been nowhere near a race, clearly demonstrated that it was not his fault, and when a horse fit was given him brought home the winner in real jockeyship manner. These little fellows are not so much to blame as the races might make them appear. Many a horse is far from ready, and the best jockey could not make them win, but give the lads a horse that can run and they will do their share.

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Not only has "Red" Walker got the dope on how to make his charges win, but as well how to get them over at a price when beaten at shorter odds against inferior fields in their previous starts, and without much comment his brother trainers are all anxious to know the recipe for this form.

Fruitvale Mecca for Bay Cities Leaguers

The Bay Cities League will pull off today three games at Fruitvale. The first, at 10 o'clock, will be between the Transportation Club and Fruitvale, the second United Railroads and Calkins, the third between the Wiley B. Allens and Gantner & Mattern.

Last Sunday the three Bay Cities League games were won by one run in each game, and in two of the games the result was in doubt until the ninth inning. A new schedule will be arranged during the first part of April.

The Transportation Club will open the season at Sacramento on the 18th of April, when they will play the Brooke Realty team for a dinner. A special train will be run from here, and an automobile parade, headed by a brass band, will take place before the game. The traffic men expect to be accompanied to the Capital by many of their admirers.

Ketchel Hits N. Y. Dressed as 'Rube'

NEW YORK, March 6. — Stanley Ketchel, the pugilistic sensation of the age, arrived in town today. He was rigged up in a "hoy Rube" outfit and a pair of teamster's boots, with his trousers tucked into them, a blue shirt with a red bandana tied around his neck in cowboy fashion, a blue flannel shirt, covered over with an oil-stained jumper, and a big sombrero.

Ketchel explained that this was his automobile outfit.

Ketchel is here to meet Jack O'Brien of Philadelphia at the National Athletic Club of this city, March 26. He says he does not know much about O'Brien, but he'll beat him.

LOS ANGELES, March 6.—St. Vincent's college won the second and last ball game of the series from Stanford this morning by a score of 7 to 0. The game was called at the end of the fifth inning on account of rain. The St. Vincent boys played gilt-edge ball. Pitcher Dick French was in excellent form, allowing only two hits. He struck out six of the Stanford men. Score:

PERCY W. TREAT,
Secretary of the New California Jockey Club, Enjoying His Perfecto.

HILDRETH'S COLT WINS THE LOS ANGELES DERBY

Jockey Shilling Is Indefinitely Suspended

SANTA ANITA PARK, Cal., March 6.—Judge A. W. Hamilton and his assistants indefinitely suspended Jockey Schilling here this afternoon for "rough and suspicious riding." This action came as the climax to a long and searching investigation on the part of the officials respecting the significant riding on the part of several of the leading jockeys here. The decision was handed out right after the finish of the $6,000 Los Angeles Derby of a mile and a quarter. Sam Hildreth, still in wonderful luck, took the race with his colt, Joe Madden, ruling at 11 to 5, which just did beat Guy Fisher a short margin, with F. A. Forsythe's good colt, High Private, the even-money favorite, third. Beyond question of a doubt the best horse in the race was High Private, but in the roughest ridden race of the winter Lee, the negro jockey, was bumped and buffeted out of all contention by Schilling, Powers and the other white boys.

James Lee Into Fence

Shilling on Joe Madden jammed Lee into the fence in the first half furlong, and when recovering and threatening the leaders around the fart urn, someone else took a crack at the Oakland invader. Through the final furlong Powers on Guy Fisher and Shilling on Joe Madden looked up in a desperate final duel, in which Shilling bumped Barney Schreiber's colt off his stride. The finding against Shilling is due to a long series of misdeeds in the saddle. Incidentally, Powers was fined $250 and McGee $100 for foul riding in the race. After the race Owner F. A. Forsythe said he thought High Private was the best colt in the Derby field and that he would be willing to run it over again for $200 a corner with Joe Madden and Guy Fisher.

"Charley" Bibbins lost $6000 to the race, while the bookmakers won $50,000 of High Private money.

Jockey Kennedy had the leg up on four winners and one second horse. The track was slightly dead from an early morning rain, but it suited Joe Madden to a nicety.

Summaries

First race, one mile, three-year-olds—Thistle, 113 (Kennedy), won; John A., 112 (J. Brooks), second, Lawton Wiggins, 112 (Powers), third. Time, 1 41. Woolhedir Pert and Moorish King also ran.

Second race, five and one-half furlongs, selling—Jane Swiftit, 102 (Kennedy), won; Kerry, 109½ (Powers), second; Tim O'Toole, 102 (Rice), third. Time, 1:05 3-5. La Londe, Bavaria, All Alone, Ampedo and Willis Gregg also ran.

Third race, one mile and a furlong, the Redondo Handicap, three-year-olds and up, purse—Czar, 106 (Kennedy), won; Far West, 911 (Cullen), second; Vox Populi, 113 (Walsh), third. Time, 1 55 1-5. Joan Carroll also ran.

Fourth race, one and one-quarter miles, Los Angeles Derby, $6000 guaranteed, sweepstakes for three-year-olds of 1909—Joe Madden, 122 (Schilling), won, Guy Fisher, 117 (Powers), second; High Private, 124 (Lee), third. Time, 2:07 2-5. Donald MacDonald, Harrigan and J. H. Reed also ran.

Fifth race five furlongs, Swift Handicap, three-year-olds and up, purse—Waterbury, 107½ (Aubuchon), won; Colloquy, 111 (Kennedy), second, Eliza Harwood, 89 (Russell), third. Time, 1:02. Dominus Argi and Footpad also ran.

Sixth race, one mile, selling—Captain Burnett, 8 to 5, won, Grande Dame, even, second, Arcourt, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:40.

Seventh race, one and three-sixteenths miles—Oberon, 9 to 5, won; Joseph K., 4 to 1, second; Goldway, 3 to 1, third. Time, 2 07.

COMING BASEBALL SEASON WILL BE BEST IN HISTORY, DECLARES O'NEIL

Tip O'Neil, president of the Western League and one of the big moguls in baseballdom, has been spending a big portion of his time since arriving here Monday night on the White Sox special, sizing up the Coast League teams, especially the new players, who have been drafted and signed from all parts of the hemisphere, and it is his opinion that this will be the greatest year in baseball on the coast and in the East also. Last year he says was the best, but he looks for another record-breaker. And Tip ought to know. For a generation, no one knows how long, he has been identified with the national pastime. Old-timers still recollect the days when he used to manage the Oakland Club, back in the eighties, and it was generally O'Neil's way, whether by good fortune or by sheer force of genius, to have a winning bunch, and the local club under his management twice won the pennant. But, like all stars, he was called away to bigger fields, until today he stands at the head of one of the most flourishing leagues in the country.

TIP O'NEIL,
President of Western League, One of the Best Known Magnates in Baseball.

Has Home in Oakland

He spent the greater part of last winter in Oakland, his home town, always keeping his eye upon promising material and acting as lookout man for Comiskey. Several young players, now of prominence, have been ushered into the major leagues through O'Neil. The present baseball itinerary of the White Sox was arranged by Tip.

O'Neil is enthusiastic over the showing that is being made by Comiskey's talent, and he cannot figure any way in which the Chicago-Americans will lose the pennant the coming season. Scott, Flanagan, Sutor, Cravath; Martin Walsh, brother of Ed, the famed spit-ball artist; Altizer and others are doing so far everything and more than was expected of them, and Tip says that Fielder Jones will be back on the team.

O'Neil's fond ambition to see one of the best baseball diamonds and grandstands in the world erected in Chicago will soon be realized, for, according to him, a lot costing over $200,000 has been bought at Thirty-fifth and Wentworth street, and as soon as possible an enormous three-triple-decker grandstand, one of the finest in the country, even equaling that at Philadelphia, will be erected, which will bring the cost of the ball park up to $600,000.

Has Word of Praise For Coast Leaguers

Tip O'Neil, in speaking of the baseball outlook for the coming season, said: "Last year was a record-breaker in baseball, but I believe the coming season will be even greater. Baseball has more of a hold upon the people than ever. As for the White Sox, their chances of winning the pennant in the American league never looked better. Last year they only lost the pennant by one game. With the additional talent, Fielder Jones, back and the old stand-bys on hand there is nothing to it.

"Yes, I believe baseball will prosper in the West. As far as I have seen the Coast league teams will put up a high-class game. There are some mighty good players in the various line-ups and I believe the clubs will have a hard time holding some of them during the season. Stars are scarce nowadays and are in big demand."

Oaks Won Pennant Under Tip's Rule

Tip O'Neil, president of the Western league, is one of the most prominent men today in the baseball world. He captained the Oakland team of '89, '90, '91, '92 and '93, winning the pennant in '89 and '93. In '91 he left for New Orleans, where he played second base. The following season found him with the Montgomery team in the same fielding and official position as captain. Toward the end of the season he was taken sick and quit the South to go to Victoria in '96. He played on the Oakland team in '97 while Fred Lange acted as captain. For two years—'98 and '99—O'Neil headed the Seals. He then retired from active play and umpired a couple of summers. Toward the latter end of '04 he was elected president of the Western league under a five-year agreemnt.

Several of the prominent officials on the coast have been on his trail for him to take up the responsibilities of the Coast league as manager in chief, but Tip says he prefers to be with the big noise for a while yet. April 1 O'Neil leaves here for Chicago, where he will engineer the operations of the Western league.

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TRIBUNE'S FORM CHART

EMERYVILLE RACE TRACK, Mar. 6, 1909.—103rd Day. Fall and Winter Meeting. Weather rainy. Track sloppy. E. C. HOPPER, Presiding Judge. RICHARD DWYER, Starter.

4209 FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; selling; three-year-olds and up. Purse, $400.

Ind.	Horse, Age and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
4183	Ketchemike, 4 (P. Dunne)	110	6	[illegible]	2d	2½	1½	1d	Keogh	2	9-5
4184	May Amelia, 5 (F. D. We	108	7	[illegible]	7	6½	2½	2[illegible]	F. H. King	8	5
4189	Pimkim, 5 (W. Hawke)	103	4	[illegible]	6[illegible]	5[illegible]	3½	3½	Taplin	3	13-5
4191	Osorine, 3 (W. Walker)	87	3	[illegible]	1[illegible]	1½	4½	4[illegible]	Clark	3	14-5
1348	Toller, 6 (Garity & Co.)	106	2	[illegible]	5[illegible]	7	7	5d	Archibald	40	150
2409	Succeed, 6 (C. B. Lewis)	107	1	[illegible]	2[illegible]	4[illegible]	6[illegible]	6[illegible]	McIntyre	40	50
4161	Patoon, a (J. B. Dunn)	111	5	[illegible]	4[illegible]	3[illegible]	6½	7	Butwell	10	16

Ketchemike, place 4-5, show 1-5. Amelia, place 3-5, show 4-5. Pimkim, show 1-2.

At post 1 minute. Off at :46. Time—:25, :50 1-5, 1:16 4-5.
Start good. Won cleverly. Second and third easily.
Winner, ch. h. by Handsel—Carrie Hart. Trained by H. Hanlon.
Scratches—Fantastic, The [illegible]st, Adena, Cadichon, Fireball.
Ketchemike always well b[illegible] assumed lead at head of stretch and easily held others safe. Amelia closed a[illegible]big gap and finished fast. Pimkim ran out on last turn, but came fast at end. [illegible]orine set early pace, but quit. Others no chance.

4210 SECOND RACE—[illegible] four furlongs; two-year-olds. Purse, $400.

Ind.	Horse, Age and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
4197	Ollie James (P. T. China	107	4	[illegible]	[illegible]	1½	1d	1d	Archibald	6	13
4192	Balronia (B. Schreiber)	111	6	[illegible]	[illegible]	2½	2d	2½	Butwell	3	8
4168	Indian Maid (F. A. Forsyt[illegible])	104	7	[illegible]	[illegible]	7½	4d	3d	Deverich	5	18-5
4180	Madeline L. (G. W. Berry)	100	1	[illegible]	[illegible]	6h	5h	4½	Taplin	15	8
4192	Garnight (J. W. Paulsen)	96	2	[illegible]	[illegible]	3d	6d	5d	Upton	60	100
4168	Inflection (H. T. Griffin)	109	3	[illegible]	[illegible]	4d	8h	6½	Butler	1	1
4165	Alder Gulch (Sea Air Sta[illegible])	100	5	[illegible]	[illegible]	5h	7h	7d	Clark	20	25
4024	Little Redd (Kenilworth [illegible]able)	96	8	[illegible]	[illegible]	9	9	8d	Piper	60	200
....	Pride of Lismore (T. Go[illegible]ding)	104	9	..	..	8d	8d	9	McLaughlin	60	200

James place 4, show 3-2. [illegible]alronia, place 3-2, show 3-5. Maid, show 1-2.
At post ¼ minute. Off at [illegible]:18. Time—:25, :49 3-5.
Start good. Won easily. [illegible]econd driving. Third easily.
Winner, br. c. by Sorceren[illegible]—Miss Laetitia. Trained by J. McCormick.
Scratched—Turret.
James much the best. Op[illegible]ned big lead at once and won going away. Balronia had been speed and held other[illegible] safe. Maid closed stoutly. Madeline made up a bit of ground. Garnight qui[illegible] Inflection ran a bad race. Others never dangerous.

4211 THIRD RACE—[illegible] a mile and twenty yards; Grinstead Handicap; three-year-olds and up. Purse, $700.

Ind.	Horse, Age and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
4194	Rose Queen, 3 (A. Konig[illegible]berg)	92	3	2h	1h	1d	1d	1½	Taplin	3	16-5
4196	Tony Faust, 5 (S. C. Hil[illegible]reth)	102	1	3d	3[illegible]	2d	2d	2d	G. Burns	3	16-5
4187	Orcagna, 4 (W. Walker)	97	5	5	5	5	4d	3d	Clark	8	8
3871	Rockstone, 5 (F. H. Mild[illegible])	105	4	4d	4d	4d	5	4h	F. H. King	15	15
4193	Bellwether, 4 (T. H. W[illegible]lams)	103	2	1d	2d	2d	3d	5	Archibald	7-5	9-10

Queen place 1, show 1-2. Faust, place 1, show 2-5. Orcagna, show 4-5.
At post 1 minute. Off at [illegible]:35. Time—:24, :49 1-5, 1:15¾, 1:43 2-5, 1:45½.
Start bad. Won easily. Second and third same.
Winner, br. f. by Kingstr[illegible]—White Rose. Trained by W. Cahill.
Scratches—Crossina, Ryel[illegible]ight.
Queen made Bellwether [illegible]it, then came on and won easily. Faust beat the gate, dropped back then ca[illegible] on again. Orcagna came from the rear and closed stoutly. Rockstone does not [illegible]te stop. Bellwether quit as it shot after racing well for three quarters.

4212 FOURTH RACE—[illegible] Two and one-quarter miles; Waterhouse cup; two-year-olds and up. Purse, $5000 added.

Ind.	Horse, Age and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
4199	Clamor, 5 (Keene Bros.)	100	6	6½	3½	2½	1d	1½	Buxton	30	25
4032	Animus, 5 (B. Schreiber)	114	7	4d	5d	5d	3d	2d	Butwell	3	12-5
4178	Firestone, 4 (T. H. Willi[illegible]ms)	114	3	1d	1½	1d	2d	3½	Butler	4	5
4194	Big Bow, a (T. H. Wil[illegible]ams)	104	5	2d	2d	7d	7d	7d	Archibald	8	8
4175	Nadzu, 5 (H. G. Redw[illegible])	104	1	5½	4d	4d	5	5½	Taplin	8	18-5
3882	Montgomery, 5 (S. C. [illegible]dreth)	122	4	7½	6d	6d	6	6d	G. Burns	3	4
4187	Milford, 4 (D. C. Johns[illegible])	100	2	2d	2½	3d	4d	4d	Ross	4	11-2
4205	Lady Alicia, 5 (D. S. F[illegible]ntain)	93	3	3½	3	6	8	8	Deverich	30	30

*Coupled with Firestone. [illegible]nimus, place 1, show 1-2. Firestone, show 1.
Clamor, place 8, show 3. At post 1 minute. Off a[illegible] 3:03. Time—:25 2-5, :51 2-5, 1:18 2-5, 1:46 1-5, 2:13 2-5, 2:41 3-5, 3:09 2-5, [illegible]87 2-5, 4:04 2-5.
Start good. Won easily. [illegible]end. Next two same.
Winner, ch. g. by Gold [illegible]eels—Salvia. Trained by W. Reed.
Scratched—Logistilla.
Clamor moved up on ra[illegible] on back stretch, after going one and three-quarter miles took lead and won off [illegible]y himself. Animus came from far back and stagged into place. Firestone [illegible]t all the pace, was almost knocked down by winner in stretch. Milford and N[illegible]zu did their best. Others showed nothing.

4213 FIFTH RACE—[illegible] one mile and seventy yards; selling; three-year-olds and up. Purse, $400.

Ind.	Horse, Age and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
4181	Barney Oldfield, 4 (Garit[illegible] & Co.)	106	1	1d	1½	1d	1d	1d	Archibald	3	13-5
4164	The Peer, 3 (P. Dunne)	93	2	6d	5½	3d	2½	2d	Ross	2	11-5
4190	Figent, 3 (Kelly & Co.)	91	4	8½	8½	6½	5d	3½	Deverich	10	10
4183	Dainty Belle, 5 (H. G. [illegible]dwell)	100	3	3d	3½	4d	3d	4d	Taplin	5-2	16-5
4169	Brookland, 4 (W. E. Ar[illegible]egate)	106	5	7d	6½	7½	6d	5d	Cotton	20	40
4171	Wurzburger, 4 (W. W. [illegible]ker)	103	8	8d	4d	5d	7d	6d	Clark	15	20
4163	Sir Lynnewood, a (L. S. [illegible]ck)	114	8	5d	7½	8d	8d	7d	Holmes	20	60
4096	Bucket Brigade, 4 (J. [illegible]thur)	110	10	9	9	9	9	8½	Keogh	8	8
4161	Alcibiades, 4 (F. Wils[illegible])	103	7	4½	2d	2½	4½	9	Coles	200	300
4147	Talmund, 6 (C. Perez)	110	6	Cut down.					McLaughlin	100	200

Oldfield, place 1, show [illegible]-2. Peer, place 1, show 9-20. Figent, show 2.
At post 5 minutes. Off at 3 31. Time—:25 2-5, :51, 1.17 3-5, 1:44 2-5, 1:49.
Start good. Won easil[illegible]. Second same. Third driving.
Winner, b. g. by Morc[illegible]—La Amigo. Trained by McGarity.
Scratched—Stroke.
Oldfield best. Broke in [illegible]ront and was never headed. Peer cut on first turn, made up a world of groun[illegible]. Figent closed with a rush. Belle did her best. Brooklands and Wuerzburger closed fast. Alcibiades quit.

4214 SIXTH RACE—[illegible] five and one-half furlongs; three-year-olds. Purse, $400.

Ind.	Horse, Age and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
4174	Trois Temp (T. D. Sul[illegible]van)	112	2	..	1½	1½	1d	1nk	McIntyre	4	8
4176	Bubbling Water (Mole[illegible] & Co.)	107	6	..	3d	4½	2½	2k	Powers	5-2	9-2
4176	Rubia Granda (T. H. [illegible]illiams)	107	4	..	2d	2d	3d	3½	Butler	4	8
4176	Colvito (G. W. Berry)	107	7	..	5d	3d	5d	4½	Taplin	3	11-5
4203	Woodbox (Jr. W. Boss)	112	9	..	6d	5d	4½	5½	Rettig	8	7-2
4191	Warden (F. A. Forsyt[illegible])	109	8	..	8	7½	6½	6½	Deverich	6	5
2791	Fred Mafer (Garity & [illegible]o.)	106	5	..	4h	6d	7d	7½	Archibald	60	100
4190	Dandy Fine (C. R. Cor[illegible]8)	103	3	..	7h	8½	8½	8½	Vosper	100	200
4124	False Nun (A. F. Dav[illegible]n)	107	1	..	9	9	9	9	C. Miller	100	100

Temp, place 3, show 3. [illegible]. Water, place 2, show 1. Grande, show 1.
At post 2 minutes. Off [illegible]t 3:56. Time—1:09.
Start good. Won in a [illegible]lece drive of two. Third easily.
Winner, b. c. by Bute [illegible] Court Dance. Trained by A. Zimmer.
Scratches—Strike Out. [illegible]dminister, Waisenkend.
Temps set a sizzling p[illegible]e and just lasted. Water finished with a great rush and in another stride would have scored. Granda not there when the pinch came. Perhaps short. W[illegible]box can do better. Others never contenders.

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You must have teeth.

When a man or woman is so unfortunate as to lose nearly all his or her teeth, because of disease or poor dentistry, it is time to listen to what we have to say.

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You must have teeth.

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By the Alveolar Method we can supply real teeth in the place of those that are lost—and put them in your mouth so they will act and feel like nature's teeth. We won't bore into the gums or hurt you. The work is practically painless. It can only be obtained in our offices in San Francisco, Oakland and Los Angeles. We own the patents on the process of this country and six of the foreign countries.

We mention this because other dentists, jealous of the marvelous growth of this business, claim to be able to restore teeth by the Alveolar Method.

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They can't deliver the goods.

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Men must have teeth.

If you have lost nearly all your teeth or are a victim of pyorrhea, and are threatened with the loss of all the rest, we have a great message for you.

We can supply those you have lost with the Alveolar Method and cure the cause of the loose teeth—pyorrhea.

Will you investigate this now, before you get to a point where we can't help you?

If you can come to one of our offices we will examine your teeth without charge. If you can't come now, do the next best thing—send for our free book, "Alveolar Dentistry," which explains the method in detail.

This is the most valuable book on the teeth ever written, and it is yours for the asking.

Send for it today. That is the first step to take in order to get good teeth

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STRAWS SHOW HOW THE WIND BLOWS

Of Vote Taken by Canvass 1263 Are for and 269 Against Mott

A straw vote was taken in the Seventh ward within the last few days, the result of which is very encouraging to the Republican forces, as it shows that the great majority of those seen are in favor of Mayor Mott and the entire Republican ticket.

In the first precinct, out of 181 votes seen, 147 expressed their preference for the Mott ticket, while 34 were against.

Second precinct, in which 96 were seen 90 were for the Mott ticket, 4 against and 2 were undecided.

Third precinct, out of 104 voters seen, 94 were for the Republican ticket and 10 against it.

Fourth precinct, 134 were seen, of which 124 were in favor of the straight Republican ticket and 10 against the ticket.

Fifth precinct shows that out of 129 voters visited, 121 of them favored the Republican ticket, 1 was against it and 7 in doubt

Sixth precinct, 130 were seen and 102 expressed preference for the ticket headed by Mayor Mott, 24 against and 4 were non-committal

Strong in Seventh

Seventh precinct, 165 votes were seen and 131 of these were for the Republican ticket and 34 were against the ticket

Eighth precinct, 109 were visited in this precinct and 83 of these were in favor of the Republican ticket and 25 against.

Ninth precinct, 150 were interviewed and 78 of them were for the straight Republican ticket, 38 were against and 34 in doubt.

Tenth precinct, 130 were interviewed and 60 of these were for the Republican ticket, 31 against and 48 in doubt.

Eleventh precinct, 162 were seen, of which 136 were for the straight Republican ticket and 26 against it.

Twelfth precinct, 167 have been interviewed 96 were in for the ticket headed by Mayor Mott, 32 against and 37 in doubt

This makes a total of 1661 voters interviewed, of whom 1268 expressed their preference for the straight Republican ticket headed by Mayor Mott 269 were opposed to the ticket and 132 were noncommital or undecided.

LAYS IT ALL ON 'PRINTERS' DEVIL'

New Editor of Christian Advocate Has First Tussle Over Whiskey

CHICAGO, March 6.—Charles M. Stuart, recently appointed editor of the Northwestern Christian Advocate, has had his first tussle with the printers' "devil."

In the last week's issue of his publication appeared the following clipping, the same being a recipe for poundcake:

"Cream together one cup of butter and three cups of sugar. Add the yolks of five eggs and beat the whole until it is very light Then stir in one wineglass of whisky, one nutmeg, grated, and then one cup of milk and when these ingredients are well mixed beat the four cups of flour," etc., etc

Subscribers Howl Protest

The Advocate being devoted to the anti-liquor cause, a protest immediately arose from the subscribers.

Mr. Stuart lost no time in preparing another, which appeared in this week's issue Meanwhile he had explained verbally that the recipe crept into the columns without the knowledge of himself or his associates About as nearly as he could fix the responsibility, he declared, it rested upon the "printers' devil" The printed explanation is as follows

"The appearance of the clipping was a sheer inadvertence, which the editor regrets as much as does any of his readers. The Northwestern has for over fifty years been consistent and insistent against the use of intoxicants and against the traffic; it is not likely to stultify its record even in the interest of the toothsomeness of poundcake"

TAFT LACKS SPEED AS HANDSHAKER

Roosevelt Could Pass 100 Men Along While President Talks to Ten

WASHINGTON, March 6 — The members of the Union League Club of Brooklyn presented President Taft today with a bronze tablet on which was engraved the farewell words of Abraham Lincoln.

In welcoming his visitors to the White House today Taft remarked that although he had come in like a lion—having reference to the blizzard on the 4th of March—he hoped to go out like a lamb.

Lacks the Speed

It is observed that Taft has not yet struck the stride in handshaking that Roosevelt had acquired Taft insists on hearing the full name of the person introduced and seems in no hurry to pass him along and grasp the next hand Observers who have seen both men in action say that Roosevelt would shake one hundred hands in the time it takes Taft to meet ten persons

Collectively and individually the nine members of the Philippine Commission, through Governor-General Smith, have sent to Taft heartiest greetings and best wishes for a prosperous and happy administration The Governor-General also sent to the Secretary of War, for transmission to the President, a resolution adopted March 4th by both houses of the Philippine Legislature expressing admiration and respect for the President, coupled with the wish that his administration may abound with all kinds of blessings and benefits for the Americans and for the Philippine people.

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Folds with one movement; light running, ridged and strictly good style. The only practical collapsible Go-Cart yet devised that can be sold within reason. The simplicity and ease by which you can fold these carts and the extreme low price appeals to every mother Say nothing about the terms In order to get exclusive agency on these carts we were forced to buy a solid car of six styles We were able to do this however, and that's why we secured the agency over competitors. See Window Display.

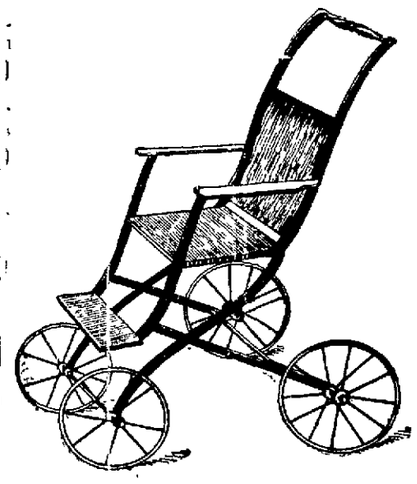
Tourist Without Hood—A nobby little reclining collapsible Go-Cart with rubber tires, steel frame; back seat, sides and dash made of fabricord leather, and padded..... **$8.50**
Terms—$2.50 cash, $1.00 week.

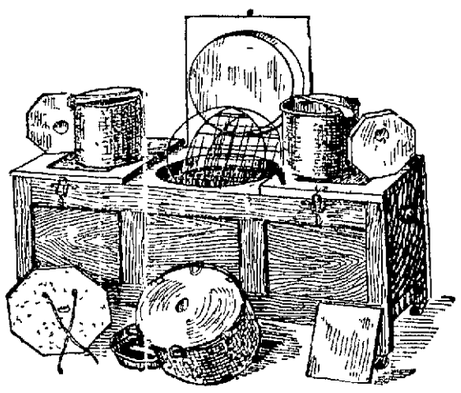
Junior with hood This is perhaps the most popular Cart of them all The metal parts are black enameled on all-steel frame, rubber tires, hood and body made of different colored fabricord leather..... **$10.50**
Terms—$3 00 cash, $1.00 week

Junior Tourist with Hood A classy Cart—handle and running gear frames made of seamless steel tubing, seat back and hood made of colored fabricord leather, oil tempered springs under seat **$15.00**
Terms—$4 00 cash, $1.00 week.

Handy little folding go-cart like picture to right, special $4.50

This Cart is an exceptional value, just the thing for a child large enough to sit up, exactly like cut, all steel frame, folds flat; has rubber tires, seat and back made of fabricord leather It's a regular $6 00 value; offered special while they last at $4.50. Just 20 to be sold. No Telephone Orders.
See Window Display





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One compartment Equipment—One all-aluminum, eight quart vessel with locking cover, two steatite radiators, one pair tongs, rack to suspend radiator and basket for baking
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Four lots of medium grade lace curtains at a bargain Monday and Tuesday

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Cluny Lace Curtains, fancy insertions and hemmed edges; pretty trimmed Net Curtains with Battenberg corner pieces, values up to $5 50. Special Monday and Tuesday .. **$3.25 pair**

About 50 pairs of these—just two and three of a pattern—classy parlor curtains; imported Arabians, Irish Point and Cable Net, values up to $10. Special Monday and Tuesday... **$4.75 pair**

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JACKSON'S MONDAY 1/4 OFF SPECIAL COUPON

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FIRE DESTROYS LARGE WASHINGTON SAW MILL

PORTLAND, Or., March 6 -The mill of the Westport Lumber Company at Westport on the lower Columbia River, burned this morning The loss will reach $200,000 The cause of the fire has not been learned Two vessels, the steamer Olympic and the schooner Lottie Bennett, which were loading lumber at the mill, were removed from the vicinity of the fire and left down the river today.

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WIFE HASTENS TO SEE LOST SPOUSE

Mrs. Wyandt Will Try to Get Husband to Return to Stockton

STOCKTON, March 6 —Postmaster Ellis of this city this morning received a letter from Mrs. D. B. Wyandt, who hastened to En Centro on receipt of the news that her husband, lost since last June, had been found. She writes that on meeting her he called her "May" and seemed deeply affected, expressing a fervent wish that he could "get it all straight."

The five years of their married life are blotted from his mind. Asked if he wanted to see his child he said that if the child was his he certainly wanted to see it He expresses wonder that he was not found before, as he lived an open life at En Centro Mrs Wyandt will remain a few days and attempt to persuade her husband to return to Stockton.

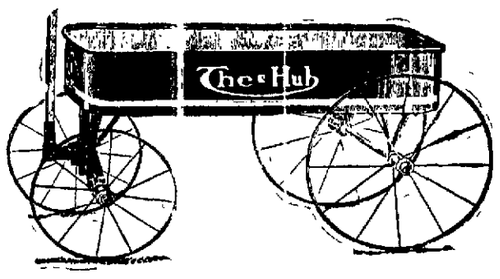
PATRICK IS RELEASED FROM PRISON ROUTINE

OSSINGING, N. Y., March 6 —By direction of the court, Warden Frost today released Albert T. Patrick from routine work as a life prisoner in the the State Prison for the present. The prisoner is allowed to order books from the law library and his cell looks like a law office The appellate division in Brooklyn, before which court he made a dramatic argument yesterday for his liberty, gave him two weeks in which to submit a brief

RELICT OF EDWARD PHELPS DIES AT AGE OF 85

BURLINGTON, Vt., March 6 —Mrs Mary Phelps Haight widow of Edward Phelps, minister to Great Britain during the first Cleveland administration and for many years professor of international law at Yale University, died today, aged 85.

JUST THE WAGON



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Two Very Rich Men Have Just Been Uncovered in San Francisco

THE KNAVE

Nude Statues for the Union League Club Are at Last in Position

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—The last week has discovered two very rich men in California, just at a time when so many are drawing a "poor mouth." It was Collector Frederick S. Stratton who exposed these very wealthy men to the gaze of the world and Uncle Sam took a hand in the expose.

The Collector has broken all United States records and has been appointed to his third term. On taking office the third time he had to file a new bond, and the government requires him to give this bond in the sum of $600,000, and his sureties must swear when they qualify that they have unincumbered real property to that enormous amount. The surety companies wanted $6000 to go on that big bond, and that is too much for even a third-term Collector to pay.

But where are men with $600,000 of unincumbered real property? Uncle Sam will not accept stocks and bonds and securities, but demands the real property that cannot take wings and fly away. And it must be unincumbered. There's the rub. Californians these days have encumbered their property pretty thoroughly to get money for rebuilding San Francisco. So men said Stratton would have a hard time finding bondsmen.

He found them all right. They are J. Athearn Folger and Adolph Spreckels, and the $600,000 bond with their signatures has gone on to Washington.

Folger has, near Woodside, San Mateo county, what is said to be the finest country place in all California. It is told that he has spent $400,000 in adorning the estate and that there is no encumbrance on it whatsoever. His magnificent business house was not touched by the fire, and though the envious have said he was very deep in Ocean Shore, his ability to qualify for $600,000 of unincumbered real property is answer to all the rumors the carping ones have set afloat.

As for Adolph Spreckels, he long was known as the richest of the Spreckels boys, though the will of Claus Spreckels may now put Gus and Rudolph ahead of him. However, the tales of his wealth read like the tales of Aladdin. He never went into the losing game that tempted John D—the poor old Call, for instance—but invested his money carefully and made it grow.

When asked the other day how much he was worth, he shrugged his shoulders and replied carelessly:

"Oh, I don't know. I can't tell exactly. But I suppose I could cash in for somewhere between ten and fifteen millions."

Financiers say that in the safe deposit vaults of the Union Trust Company he has fifteen of the safe deposit trays, all heaped with glittering twenty-dollar pieces, just to have them on hand in case of emergency or to take advantage of a specially pleasing investment. He has for a home the old Pacific Yacht Club property at Sausalito—by all odds the finest residence site on the bay shore and his breeding farm at Napa is one of the show places of the State. And beyond that he is living an idyllic life with his beautiful young wife.

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Did you notice that Mayor Taylor was not at the banquet given by the Chinese Chamber of Commerce to the representatives of the white commercial bodies of San Francisco? Well, that ought to help him with the Labor Unions a bit, though I am told the reason he was not there was because the commercial men of his own color didn't want him. That's the way the story runs.

The commercial men regard our Mayor and his administration as a failure. The streets are not fixed up, and that is mainly what the commercial men are just now looking at. Out in the Board of Supervisors is a coterie led by Allan Pollok and A. Comte, who also regard the Mayor as impossible when it comes to doing anything for the city. They throw up their hands when they are asked why things do not move and point helplessly to the man of the touseled head sitting in the Mayor's chair.

And here we are spending $18,000,000 under these conditions. Already there are whispers here and whispers there that rings and cliques are forming right under the Mayor's nose to get away with some of that fat pie; but the Mayor can't see what's going on and so we are likely to find another reign of graft settling around the city's head and choking back her well intentioned efforts to progress.

The Mayor dreams of his poetry and talks of his fine-spun theories, but when the Commonwealth Club entertains Bryce, the British Ambassador, on his visit here Gavin McNab has been selected to talk on municipal conditions, and he is likely to tell some uncomfortable facts that will make a few ears tingle.

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The Union League Club having opened its rooms for inspection I have seen the five statues that caused so much talk in the Custom House. Under Appraiser Mattos was an elderly gentleman, since dead, who had views on modesty and propriety, no matter what he thought of art. Along came the statues, selected in Europe by General M. H. de Young, who is up on art through his association with the Park Museum.

The deputy under Mattos looked at those statues. He found they were entirely nude. Shocked, he held them up, under the laws against importing anything indecent or tending to "bring the blush of shame to the cheek of innocence." He wouldn't let go. The statues had to go back to Europe to be draped before they could enter this prudish country.

Collector Stratton had to appeal to Mattos to call off his assistant, but the assistant wouldn't be called off. He knew indecency when he saw it. But at last, when he was assured that the statues were for a gentleman's club—they were unmistakably gentlemen statues—and that none but men would ever see them, he reluctantly relented. Now the statues are on view. Certainly a little drapery wouldn't hurt them any on ladies' days at the club.

There was also quite a bobbery over charges that some of the furniture and fittings for the club had been undervalued for importation, but that matter was very easily smoothed out and cut no figure beside the dreadful charge of indelicacy brought against the statues. So now the club is prosperous and serene, and has happily survived its first outburst of speech-making.

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Some time ago our reformed Board of Education made a splendid record for economy by cutting down the salaries of the poor school janitors. Recently there was a refusal to put the salaries back again to their former place, though the need for the great "economy" has gone by.

But now you ought to hear what those janitors are saying about the economizing methods of the Board and its members. One of the choicest bits of their tattle relates to Professor Joseph O'Connor, who took the place of Lawrence Walsh on the Board.

The professor recently made a trip to Europe to revisit the glimpses of his youth and to see strange lands and far. And he took his daughter with him to broaden her mind and give her a good time as a proud and fond father should do. His daughter is a very charming teacher in our schools, and she undoubtedly enjoyed her journey very much.

But now the janitors are saying that her salary was paid all the time she was seeing the sights of Europe and the cities of our own expensive East, though she had not been granted a leave of absence, and though economy forced a cut in the meager pay of the hard-working janitors. Oh, Reform! Reform!

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Our artists are having their customary row. Some will not exhibit at the institute on the hill. Some will not exhibit at the Bohemian Club on the flat. Some will not exhibit at either place. So neither exhibit is a great success, and the artists are not selling many of their paintings.

Those who stick to the home on the hill say the trouble was stirred up by Arthur Matthews, who was the head instructor there and lost his place. They are also having some flings at Matthews by saying he has mishandled the funds sent out here by the artists of New York to relieve their fellow artists who had suffered by the big fire. It is charged that some of this money has been put up as prizes for favored pupils to compete for. But Matthews says every cent can be accounted for and declares that not a penny has gone to any but a worthy cause.

And, speaking of art, you can now begin to see the high relief figures on the front of our great new Orpheum in O'Farrell street. They are fearfully and wonderfully made. Nothing quite as bad in sculpture has been seen since Bobby Aitken, in his callow days, chiseled the figures on the Spreckels band stand in Golden Gate Park. In fact, these Orpheum figures are worse than those of the amateurish hand of Aitken.

You'd think that people who set about to spend so much money in erecting and decorating a theater as the Orpheum people are doing would see to it that such colossal decorations on their facade were placed in the hands of skilled sculptors. A few hundreds of dollars more would have rendered the front of that theater beautiful instead of grotesque.

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The politicians, particularly the district variety, are endeavoring to figure out just how the new direct primary law will affect the game in this city. Strange as it may appear, both the regular Republicans and the Good Government Leaguers and the several sideshows are delighted with it; satisfied would not express the degree of their elation. The regular McNab Democrats fairly chuckle with glee at the suggestion of the possibilities of this measure and the San Francisco Democratic Club, otherwise the bolters, declare that with the new primary law they will sweep the political board.

While all wings and factions claim that the bill is of special advantage to themselves individually they also concede, in perfect harmony, that it will be a most expensive experiment for the taxpayers.

As is well known, there have been other primary laws that were not christened "Direct." One was named after Fred Stratton, the able and popular Collector of the Post of San Francisco. Others were generally designated after the members of the Legislature who acted as their godfathers. One of these bills had been introduced in the Legislature. Dick Chute was then a political boss of some magnitude. He was "looking after" the bill in the lower house. The leader of the Assembly at that time, who, by the way, was one of the ablest men who ever represented an Assembly district in the Legislature, approached Chute in the lobby one day with:

"Say, Dick, that primary bill won't do; it is too complicated; the people won't be able to understand it."

"Well, you and I understand it, don't we?" responded Chute.

The Assemblyman admitted the impeachment.

"Well, that's enough, isn't it?" contributed Chute, as he walked away.

The public will probably get much better acquainted with "Direct" primary next August and September, when the petitions shall have been filed and the election held.

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Detective William J. Burns is doing some politics again. He, presumably acting for his principal, is endeavoring to organize the districts for the primary election. One of Burns' most active lieutenants in this scheme is Aleck Greggains, the ex-pugilist and fight promoter. Aleck's main field of operation is the Tenderloin. He is seeking to attract to the Spreckels banner men of political strength in the Assembly districts. Lists have been prepared and a systematic canvass is beng conducted. Promises of places under the municipal administration are freely made.

A new line of policy has been injected into this canvass. Aleck announces that there is to be no more shutting out of members of the regular organizations. On the contrary they are cordially invited to become a part of the new machine, particularly those that are supposed to have a political pull. "All this talk against the men who belong to the regulars has got to be cut out," declares Aleck.

That Greggains has made great progress with his organizing of the new machine is not apparent, although the promises of places in the municipal departments and intimations that there is a big barrel of money back of the movement have proven alluring baits to some of the tenderloin push.

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The decrepit Democratic State machine has at last secured headquarters from which it will endeavor to identify itself. The room is in the Hotel Argonaut on Fourth street, near Market, and here the faithful may assemble and endeavor to pinch themselves back into a semblance of party life once more. Secretary John F. Murray will be in charge and will receive and acknowledge all contributions to the regalvanizing fund. The more coin the more vigor and the longer deferred will be the calling of the party Coroner.

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Included in the political tattle now on tap where local statesmen assemble is a story that an agreement has been reached by Gavin McNab, the boss of the regular Democratic machine, and the Good Government League to support Coroner Leland for Mayor and John O'Gara for District Attorney. O'Gara is an assistant in Langdon's office. It is told, in this connection, that in the last municipal campaign, McNab, in his deal with the Goo Goos, consented to accept Taylor as his candidate for Mayor, against his better judgment, but with the understanding that two years later the naming of the candidate should go to him. Leland, it is said, was the Scotchman's first choice then, and it is claimed by the politicians that he still continues to head his preferred municipal ticket.

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There has been much activity during the week just closed among the friends of William Crocker, who are promoting the candidacy of the planing mill man for Mayor. Crocker is a self-made man, having started in life as a carpenter and then becoming the proprietor of a mill through which he acquired a considerable fortune. He was formerly a member of Carpenters' Union No. 22. In the last municipal campaign he ran on the Lincoln-Roosevelt ticket for delegate to the municipal nominating convention, but failed of election.

Crocker's principal competitor for the Mayoralty nomination is James Rolph Jr., the banker and improvement club man of the Mission. The latter appears to be the first choice of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League for the nomination, but to date Rolph has not stated that he would or would not accept the nomination. It is said that with Rolph out of the running Crocker would have clear sailing for the nomination.

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The question of a Sierra supply that will furnish water for municipal and domestic purposes is, of course, one of great interest to all the bay cities. In San Francisco it has developed into a contention between Spring Valley on the one side and the proponents of the Hetch-Hetchy scheme on the other. To date all the people have got out of this unseemly political squabble and controversy for financial advantage is an increase of 15 per cent in their water rates.

There are practical citizens—by some they might be termed hard-headed—who regard this taking of 15 per cent in water charges out of their pockets, or purses, as very much akin to graft, of which there has been so much said in type and before the courts during the past three years. Certain of these same practical citizens have gone so far as to make some figures relative to how far this 15 per cent would have gone, under an honest and competent administration of municipal affairs, toward meeting the interest on bonds, and the creating of a sinking fund to redeem them, had a genuine effort been made to secure a water supply for San Francisco.

And Spring Valley is now modestly maneuvering to still further advance the water rates that it may recoup itself for losses in the disaster of 1906 and also meet the expenses to which it has been put to fight the curious attacks that have been made upon its properties by the so-called promoters of Hetch-Hetchy.

That there is some financial method in the Hetch-Hetchy scheme has been charged by Senator J. B. Curtin in an open letter to Congressman Englebright. Senator Curtin said, in referring to Hetch-Hetchy:

"It seems to me that there is something behind this whole matter that I have been unable to fathom. San Francisco paid $164,000 for Hetch-Hetchy when only a few years ago it was sold at public auction for about $1300, or, to make it sure, $6400 was paid for it, the Hog Ranch and 1400 acres of choice foothill land, which was worth more than the money, but no one has deemed Hetch-Hetchy of any value, owing to its being situated in the park and no private individual would have given to exceed a few thousand dollars for it, and yet San Francisco paid the enormous sum of $164,000 for it in face of the Garfield resolution prohibiting its use until Lake Eleanor is exhausted."

The "something behind" the Hetch-Hetchy job, which Senator Curtin is "unable to fathom" would appear to the unsophisticated to be a nice little clear-up of about $150,000.

It would also seem to those not initiated in the ways of San Francisco's reform municipal administration that the taxpayers of this city are out this $150,000 in the sense that someone

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else has acquired it in the cause of reform. It has also been suggested by those who do not worship at the shrine of this class of municipal purification, that about $50,000 of the taxpayers' good, and sometimes hard-earned, money has been expended in junkets to Yosemite Park and the adjacent forest reservation, in both of which Hetch-Hetchy is situated, and in sending ill-advised and unprofitable political excursions to Washington, D. C. In addition to this $200,000, there may also be charged to the profit and loss account of the taxpayers of San Francisco the 15 per cent additional water rates they are compelled to pay Spring Valley, to say nothing of a prospective further increase.

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The water controversy that is being waged in San Francisco and Washington, D. C., recalls a statement made by United States Senator Frank G. Newlands in that connection. Newlands is a son-in-law of the late William Sharon, who, at one time, was a very large holder of Spring Valley. Sharon regarded his interest in Spring Valley as one of his very best investments. Now those securities are worth about 70 cents on the dollar, whereas the real estate investments made by Sharon have returned $6 for every $1 so placed by the capitalist.

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The competition between the office buildings of this city is very keen. This is the result of the fact that the structures of this class, already completed, or nearly so, represent a floor space nearly 50 per cent in excess of that before the disaster of 1906. A desirable tenant seeking to rent offices can have them fitted to meet almost any whim he may have in interior decorations or architectural design. In the competition to secure a well-known lawyer as a tenant recently, the owners of a large office building made alterations and new construction at a cost of approximately $1000. His every suggested fancy was met. A bath and other toilet facilities were put in. The main office was decorated with pilasters in oak and electric lights in large numbers and of costly design were furnished. In order that the tenant might be enabled to meet a dinner invitation without proceeding to his home in the Western Addition to dress a large closet was specially fitted with drawers and compartments to contain his evening dress. A private entrance and, of course, special doors were also provided.

Should this competition among the owners of office buildings continue it may be that before long a Hammam bath and cold plunge will be furnished with each $25 a month office rented. Meals served from tables quietly rising through the floor or sliding from the wall while slippered attendants move noiselessly about may be supplied to the great financial damage of the free lunch trade which formerly thrived in the vicinity of the big office buildings.

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When George A. Knight appeared before Judge Cabaniss during the recent impaneling of the Grand Jury and announced that he believed that one of the members of the inquisitorial body who had been passed had been, and possibly still was, in the employ of Detective William J. Burns, there was a ripple of inquiry as to which member he meant. Knight mentioned no name but said that he might bring some additional charges against J. Dalzell Brown, the defaulting manager of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, and he did not consider that a man who had been in the employ of the interests that gave Brown immunity would be qualified to act in such cases. Knight simply filed notice that he would request that this Burns representative withdraw before he presented the Brown case to the Grand Jury.

The man to whom Knight referred was Luke Fay, son of the late John Fay, the well-known Democratic politician, and who made a fortune in the manufacture of soap, for which reason he was popularly known as "Soap" Fay. Luke is a replica of "Old John." He has been consorting with Gumshoe Burns and members of that little tailor's $70,000 brigade of secret service men for some time. Luke admits reporting on to Burns in some political matters, but is not equally frank on the question of his having received compensation for his services; in fact, Fay sidesteps this portion of his connection with Burns.

Fay was very active in the last municipal and Legislative campaign. He took a special interest in the canvass of Charles Lightner, the Democratic candidate for the Assembly from the Forty-fifth and worked hard to defeat Louis Parente, the Union Labor nominee, who was being backed by Senator Johnny Nelson.

Fay says that he reported to Burns that there were some "stuffers" in the district and that the detective co-operated with him in locating and challenging these illegal voters. Burns assigned some of his secret service men to assist Fay and the now Grand Juryman and these men rode over the district in a municipally hired buggy together, doing politics, or, as Fay puts it, "hunting stuffers."

Luke Fay, by reason of the large estate left by his father, is ranked by his associates as a "capitalist." He devotes his attention to politics and his private affairs and on the register of voters gives his occupation as "none." The indications are that Fay will make quite an active Grand Juror and that he will withdraw from the consideration of all matters of a political nature or referring to the disposition made of Langdon's $70,000 secret service fund, should they be presented to the local court of inquiry, as has been suggested.

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The term of Henry J. Crocker as Harbor Commissioner will expire on the 20th inst. There are a number of aspirants to the important and desirable office from which Mr. Crocker will retire. It is not improbable that this multiplicity of candidates will contribute much to the selection of P. S. Teller, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, for the place. Teller is not a candidate, although his friends intimate that he would not decline the honor, and his availability is said to be accentuated by the fact that his selection would be accepted as an appropriate one and tend to harmonize the many contending interests now represented in the aspirants for the position. Most of the candidates are backed by influences much greater than those represented in the individual candidate and the turning down of these might cause much friction if not actual ill feeling, but in Teller, it is said, a candidate satisfactory to all is presented.

Mr. Teller is now in the East, having gone to Washington, D. C., to be present at the inauguration of President Taft, and may not return to California until next month, but should he prove the choice of Governor Gillett the fact of his absence will not interfere with his selection, as Commissioner Crocker will hold office until his successor is appointed and duly qualified.

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Mrs. John A. Darling and the other members of the famous Hastings family of San Francisco are very much pleased—in fact delighted to hear that in Swindon, England, a great-grandson has been born to the Hastings family. Harry Hastings is the proud father of this son. He has cabled the Rev. Dr. John Hemphill of the Calvary Presbyterian Church to act as godfather for his son. Dr. Hemphill was particularly pleased to get this cable message from Harry Hastings. He immediately cabled back to Swindon, thanking Mr. Hastings for his kindness in suggesting him as godfather. Dr. Hemphill was so much pleased with this honor that, through one of the local banks, he sent to the great-grandson of the Hastings family a check for one thousand dollars.

It would probably be well to explain who Harry Hastings is. Dr. Hemphill years ago married a wealthy widow in San Francisco by the name of Coghill. She had a daughter, Miss Mamie; she was one of the belles of San Francisco twenty-five years ago. She was a step-daughter of Dr. Hemphill. She had many suitors. Robert Hastings, the son of Judge S. C. Hastings, finally won pretty Mamie. Her husband died and left her a fortune of seven hundred thousand dollars. She also had two children, Harry Hastings and Miss Bessie Hastings. She went to Europe and finally married an English barrister by the name of J. W. Daniell. The troubles of Mr. and Mrs. Daniell are generally well known in this town. It appears that Daniell and the Rev. Mr. Hemphill never got along as friends. Daniell, as a step-father to Harry and Bessie, it is said, tried to control the property left to them by his wife when she died. Harry rebelled against the domination of his step-father, but it appears that Miss Bessie believed in her step-father. Daniell strenuously objected to the marriage of Harry, but finally had, as a matter of policy, to give his consent. It appears, however, that Step-father Daniell has absolute control of Miss Bessie. This is the young woman who was declared incompetent a number of years ago and there are now proceedings pending before Superior Judge Graham to restore her to competency. Friends of the family in San Francisco are opposing this procedure. The matter is still pending before Judge Graham. The strange portion of this story is the fact that her brother does not want her restored to competency for fear that her step-father may misuse her valuable estate in this city, in which he and she are jointly interested.

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Speaking of Daniell, it may not be known that he is related to the Duke of Marlborough. He is also employed as a detective by the famous Scotland Yard Detective Agency in London. Whether it is true or not, it is said that whenever Scotland Yard has some desperate society mystery, they always employ this man Daniell. He is well known in San Francisco. At the time that Abe Ruef mysteriously disappeared for four or five days and was finally caught at Trocadero, Daniell was living at the little St. Francis Hotel in Union Square Park. Daniell had a suite of rooms and a valet at the little St. Francis. It appeared that he got acquainted with Ruef, who had rooms opposite to his suite when Ruef was in charge of Elisor Biggy—the late Chief of Police Biggy. Daniell made a friend of Biggy and, through Biggy's friendship, was introduced to Ruef. Biggy day and night had two detectives in Ruef's room and two detectives on the outside. Daniell, so the story is told, said one night to some of Ruef's friends that he could get Ruef out of the little St. Francis and get him out of the country if they paid him twenty thousand dollars. Some of Ruef's financial friends thought the man was crazy. They never entertained his proposition. Several Englishmen who were present at the Pacific Union Club, when told this story about Daniell and Ruef, said that Daniell was really a modern Sherlock Holmes and that they, knowing his services for Scotland Yard, would be very much afraid to antagonize him with any job that he undertook to carry out.

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Having mentioned Ruef's name brings to mind a real estate deal that will come off here in a few days whereby Ruef is going to pay his attorneys by transferring to Henry Ach the gore lot at the corner of Kearny and Montgomery avenue. This property is supposed to be worth one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. As the story runs, Attorney Ach is to take this property in full settlement of all his business with Ruef and also pay off the other attorneys who have been associated with him in the defense of Ruef. Murphy is one of these other attorneys; Newburg is another of these attorneys and there are two or three others besides. Ach has already prepared the appeal for Ruef to the higher court against his conviction before Judge Lawlor. He is to handle the case before all the higher courts. In this connection it can be said that while Ruef has got lots of property in town he evidently has no ready spare cash.

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Captain Lucien Young, now stationed at the Mare Island Navy Yard, will, in all probability, go to Washington within the next two or three months. Young was persona non grata with the Roosevelt administration, but it is said that both himself and his wife are intimate friends of our new President, Mr. Taft, and Mrs. Taft. Captain Young and his wife have been very prominent in Washington society for a number of years. For some reason the Roosevelt administration did not take kindly to them. The friends of the Youngs now think that they will get their deserts at the hands of the Taft family. Captain Young, by the way, has a very unique honor. He comes from Kentucky. The legislature of Kentucky, a number of years ago, made him an honorary member of the Kentucky legislature for life. It can be said without contradiction that neither a navy man nor a civilian has ever been given such an honor. Young, by the way, is a student of the early life of the Lincoln family. He spent considerable money and a great deal of time to dig up in Kentucky the records of the marriage of Lincoln's father with his first wife, Nancy Hanks. He produced a lot of early records about the Lincoln family and the late Secretary of State, John Hay, complimented him for digging up facts which he, Hay, as one of his private secretaries and as later on one of his biographers, was not able to obtain.

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The San Francisco press seems to have overlooked the arrest of J. L. Purdy for felony embezzlement. Purdy had a brokerage office on Ellis street in this city and handled mining stocks, railroad bonds and stocks and industrials. Jules Clerfayt, the general agent in this city for the Trans-Siberian Railway and the International Car Company of Paris—which is the Pullman Company of Europe—went into Purdy's office one day and wanted to buy a thousand dollars' worth of Goldfield Consolidated stock, which is supposed to be the leading mining company of Nevada. Clerfayt insists he wanted to buy shares of stock outright instead of buying on a margin. The stock at that time was quoted at $8.50 a share. The next day he called on Mr. Purdy and asked him if he had bought the stock. Mr. Purdy said that he would have it the next day. Clerfayt naturally was very insistent, and when he could not either get his money back or get the stock he had Purdy arrested. Purdy brought his influence to bear on Clerfayt and the latter did not have the warrant issued until day before yesterday. Purdy was finally hauled into the Police Court and, making no showing there, was held over to answer to the Superior Court. He is now in the County Jail, or was there twenty-four hours ago. This is the downfall of a man who has made and spent over three hundred thousand dollars. Twenty years ago he was the private secretary of that great New York financier, Russell Sage. It is said that Sage used to take a twenty-five cent luncheon, and when somebody pointed out the fact that his secretary, Purdy, was in the habit of taking a $1.50 luncheon, that Mr. Sage remarked:

"Well, I have the money and my secretary hasn't got as much money as I have, and if my secretary would be as modest in his living expenses as I am he probably would be a rich man some day, because he has the ability."

Clerfayt, the man who has caused his arrest, is a friend of Grand Duke Boris of Russia. He is a man of ability in this city and lives at the Fairmont Hotel. According to the gossip about this unfortunate affair, it appears that Grand Duke Boris sent out five hundred dollars to Clerfayt to put in some Nevada mining stocks. While Clerfayt refuses to talk about the matter, it is said that as long as one of the Grand Dukes of Russia sent him five hundred dollars to put in some mining stock, he thought he would duplicate the order himself. So he put in five hundred dollars of his own money. The Purdy transaction has resulted in Clerfayt losing his own five hundred, and as a matter of policy and tact, he had to dig up five hundred dollars more and cablegram his Russian friend about the unfortunate transaction. Duke Boris of Russia, however, seems to be a generous fellow, and has sent a cablegram to Clerfayt not to worry about the matter and just consider it a loss that cannot be made good.

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There has been a great deal of talk about the value of the estate of E. J. ("Lucky") Baldwin. All the daily papers have for the past few days been printing the fact that Baldwin's estate is worth twenty-five million dollars. Several of the ablest attorneys in San Francisco who have had many dealings with Baldwin in the past few years said yesterday that, after all the mortgages are paid on the Baldwin property in San Francisco and Southern California, that the estate would not amount to over seven million dollars. There is a remarkable thing about the late Mr. Baldwin. He only trusted one man in this country, and that is the man who survived him and who was his business manager through thick and thin—Mr. Unruh. It is a notorious fact that, with all his reputed wealth, Baldwin never willingly paid a bill. There are fifty people in San Francisco who did business with Baldwin before the Baldwin Hotel burned down, who could ever get a cent of money out of him. It is also well known that before the Baldwin Hotel burned down many merchants here would never supply any orders to the Baldwin Hotel unless they got a personal promise or a note from Mr. Unruh.

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Thomas H. Williams, the race track magnate, has sold out his cold storage plant in the City of Mexico for a great deal of money. It appears that Mr. Williams about two years ago got a concession from President Diaz of Mexico for a cold storage plant for the City of Mexico and the surrounding country. It was handled in a modern, up-to-date manner, and everybody was pleased with this service. Some Mexican capitalists saw the advantage of the proposition and offered him so much money that he felt, as a business proposition, that he should sell out. It is said that Diaz, with his well-known propensity for progressive Americans, did not like to have Mr. Williams part with his business interests there.

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In this connection it may or may not be true that Mr. Williams is going to establish a race track in Mexico. However, some people who are at the Fairmont Hotel this week bring the information that Colonel M. J. Winn and J. E. Follansbee and Alberto Terrazas are in the City of Mexico now and arranging for a race track privilege. Mr. Follansbee is an intimate friend of Mr. Williams, so the guests of the Fairmont draw the conclusion that if Mr. Follansbee is seeking a race track privilege at the City of Mexico, that probably Mr. Williams may have some interest in it.

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John Farley, the intimate friend of James L. Flood, the confidant of the late Charles Fair, the intimate associate of the late Chief of Police Lees, has gone back into the saloon business. He is running a saloon and restaurant on Montgomery street, a couple of doors south of California street. Farley is said to be worth one hundred and fifty thousand dollars and the richest saloon man that ever came to San Francisco—that is, a man engaged in the retail business. Farley is a unique

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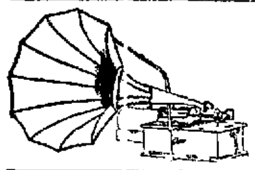

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HALL TO BE ON DOWNTOWN SITE

Future Home of Columbus Knights Will Rise in Present Shopping District

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—The Knights of Columbus of San Francisco Council No 615, will at once arrange for the building of a large fraternal hall The buildings will be erected in the downtown district and will cost about $350 000

The members of the hall committee met Friday evening to arrange final plans and within a few days the announcement will be made where the Knights of Columbus intend to build All the funds necessary for the erection of the building have been subscribed and it is stated by members of the order that the building will be an adornment to San Francisco

In the building there will be clubrooms fraternal halls, library grill and every convenience for out-of-town members of the order

The arrival of Bishop O'Connell is anxiously awaited by all Catholics of this city It is expected that when he arrives here he will be tendered several public receptions among them being one by the Knights of Columbus Another reception will possibly be given him at the Fairmont Hotel

Bishop O'Connell will leave Washington in a few weeks and upon his arrival will take up his residence for a few days at the home of Archbishop Riordan on Scott street He will later move to 1100 Franklin street

Parish Entertainment

The members of the Star of the Sea parish have arranged to celebrate the anniversary of St Patrick's Day with a grand celebration at the Chutes on the evening of March 16th The program will consist of a literary and musical program Mackenzie Gordon the famous tenor will head the program The instrumental music will be a special feature a harpist having been engaged to play rare old Irish melodies The pastor of the Star of the Sea parish is the Rev Father Philip O Ryan

The Knights of Columbus of this city are looking forward to the excursion to the Yosemite Valley which will be held during the early part of June The excursion is limited to 00 and it is expected that double that number will make application for tickets

The committee in charge of the Yosemite trip is composed of R A Miller J S Devlin John P Duffy K A Norton and L A McCarthy The party will leave this city on Sunday morning June 6 and mass will be celebrated on the ferryboat on the way to Point Richmond The party will reach the valley at 6 o clock that evening and will spend ten days in the Yosemite The League of the Cross Cadets Band will accompany the party

To Organize a Catholic Club

There is a movement among Catholic young men of this city for the institution of a Catholic Club in this city on the lines of the Catholic Club of New York and the various Newman clubs throughout the country

Among those interested in the establishment of the club are Neal Power Joseph J Rosborough T I O'Brien and others who are prominent in this city in Catholic affairs The plans for the club when formed are to secure permanent quarters in the new Knights of Columbus building when it is completed

The Rev Joseph Powers for many years assistant pastor of St Paul's Church has been transferred to St Vincent de Paul's Church as assistant to the Rev M P Ryan Father Powers has been succeeded by the Rev James Moran of St Joseph's Church

The Rev Edward P Dempsey, pastor of St Mary's Church in Oakland, returned this week from a short trip to Los Angeles and other points in Southern California

A requiem mass for the repose of the soul of the deceased member of Division No 5, Ancient Order of Hibernians, will be celebrated at St Joseph's Church, Tenth and Howard streets next Tuesday morning at 30 o clock Members of the order and their friends are invited to attend

BRYAN TO FIGHT "WHITE PLAGUE"

Great Commoner Will Join Crusade Against Spread of Consumption

NEW YORK, March 6.—William J Bryan announced today that he will join in the fight against the spread of tuberculosis He called on Nathan Strauss and discussed Strauss' long fight for the prevention of tuberculosis by the pasteurization of milk Bryan said

"I have been impressed with the splendid array of facts vividly shown in the tuberculosis exhibition now in Philadelphia and I hope that this exhibition will be brought out to the great West so that the people out there can be shown the dangers that can be overcome by fresh air healthful habits cleanliness and pasteurization of milk

"I hope to use the opportunities that I have in lecturing in various parts of the country to aid in this fight, and particularly to spread the knowledge of the fact that Nathan Strauss has demonstrated that milk can be separated by pasteurization"

FOREIGN MAILS HAVE NEW RATES

Postal Department Makes Other Arrangements With Foreign Countries

SAN FRANCISCO March 6.—Postmaster Fisk has received from the department at Washington the new arrangements made between the United States and foreign countries in regard to postage on certain classes

The limit of value applicable to parcels admissible to the parcel-post mails from Great Britain and Ireland for the United States will be $80 instead of $50 as at present the limit of weight to remain at eleven pounds Parcels not exceeding eleven pounds in weight will be admissible to the parcel-post mails from the United States for Great Britain and Ireland however without regard to value, as at present

Same Rates Between Other Places

The same items apply to packages between the United States and Germany Austria The Netherlands Norway Italy and Belgium

In the Belgium Norway and The Netherlands arrangement the postage applicable in the United States to parcel post packages will be 12 cents for each pound or fraction of a pound full prepayment being compulsory

Fine for Carelessness

In consequence of the special agreement concluded with Newfoundland the postage for points in Newfoundland will be cents an ounce or fraction of an ounce Letters unpaid or short paid will be dispatched to destination but the deficient postage will be collected on delivery at double rates

The rate of postage to letters mailed in the Bahamas for the United States will be 2 cents for each ounce or fraction thereof Letters unpaid or short-paid must be subjected on delivery to a double charge

The rate of postage applicable to letters from the United States for the Bahamas will remain as at present—5 cents for the first ounce or fraction thereof and 3 cents for each additional ounce or fraction thereof

The department is now prepared to furnish No 5 and No 8 1-cent envelopes with gummed flap when desired for the mailing of mail matter of the first class to local addresses at *non-free delivery* postoffices on which the rate of postage is 1 cent an ounce

NOON-DAY SERVICES FOR LENTEN SEASON

BERKELEY March 6.—Noonday services under the auspices of the Berkeley Church Federation will be given during Lent, many well known men about town as well as clergymen having been secured to make addresses The first of these will be given Monday, when the Rev I N McCash of the Christian Church will speak on "The Men of Our Times" A special feature of the services which are supposed to have been gotten up for business men will be the musical program rendered by Howard Taylor pianist

The speakers slated for next week are Tuesday Town Engineer W F McClure Wednesday Rev J A Fly Thursday H R Miles Friday W A Wann, Saturday Rev R S Eastman

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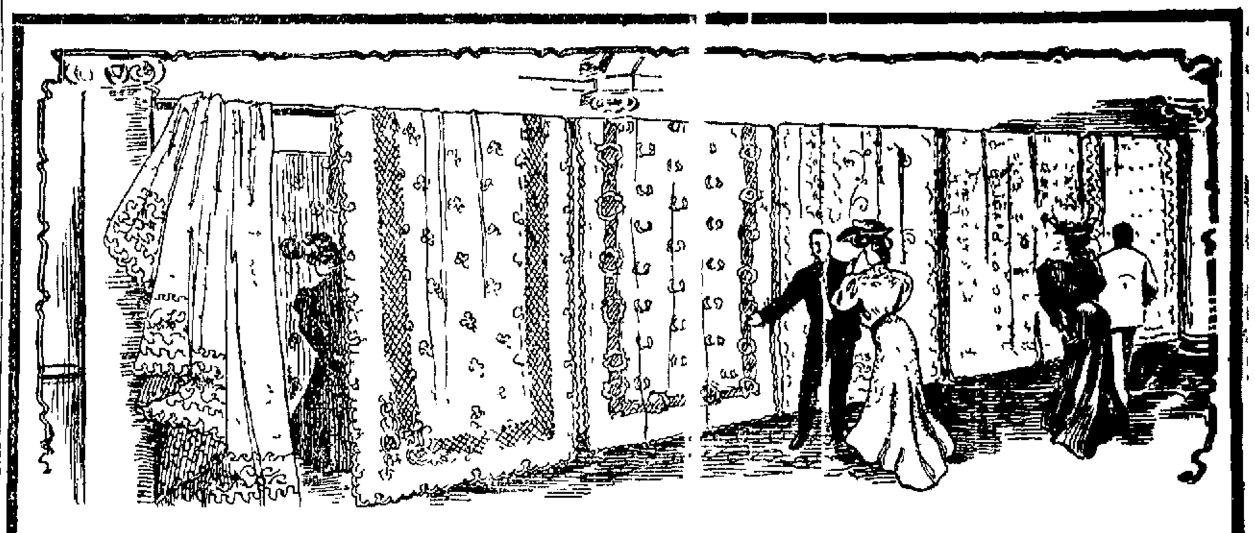

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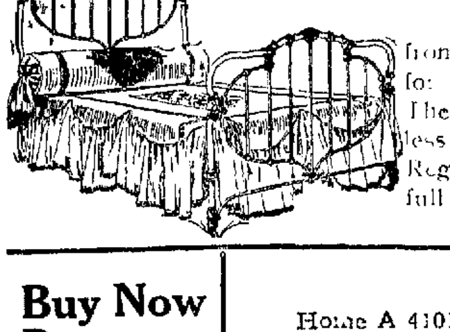

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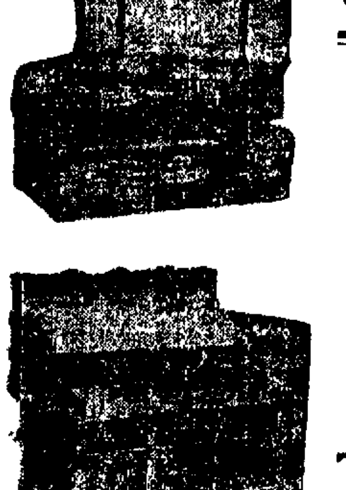

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The Duty of Citizens Tomorrow.

This is the last appeal THE TRIBUNE can make to the citizens of Oakland respecting their action at the polls tomorrow. No election has ever been held in this city so fraught with responsibilities resting on the people and of such weighty importance to the welfare of the community, and it will be entirely with the people themselves to determine the result and the future destiny of Oakland, not politically (for that is a matter of minor importance), but commercially and industrially and progressively, which means everything for its future welfare and prosperity.

The issue is clean-cut. It is on the one hand the retention in office of an administration that has done more for the advancement of the city and its interests than any of its predecessors, and its program of municipal development is only half done, while the settlement of the policies formulated for the larger benefit of the community is incomplete.

For four years the city's affairs have been administered earnestly, unselfishly and intelligently for the common good. In its administration a mental equipoise has been exercised which has preserved perfect harmony and commanded the admiration and respect of all classes. And everything has been done for the common good. The city has, consequently, made marvelous progress. Why, as the immortal Lincoln would have asked, should we now "swap horses in midstream" and run the dangerous chances incident to such an operation? Mayor Mott and the men who have been associated with him during the past four years have been instrumental in bringing us to our present happy and prosperous stage of municipal activity and prosperity, and when we are on the high road of success, what sensible citizen can possibly favor the transfer of the important work which is so well advanced to new and inexperienced and revolutionary hands?

At the charter amendment election held Friday the people of this city gave the most indirect, but, nevertheless, the most emphatic endorsement of the work and policies of the Mott administration which was in their power to give, and it augurs well for a more emphatic endorsement to be given at the polls tomorrow, as it should be. No greater calamity could possibly happen to Oakland than the overthrow of the Mott administration and the revolutionizing of its enlightened and progressive policies, which would surely follow as a natural sequence.

Russian Aggression in Manchuria.

"Treaties," shrewdly remarked a distinguished French diplomat, "are like piecrust—made to break," and the evidence increases, as time passes, that in signing the treaty of Portsmouth which brought the war with Japan to a conclusion Russia never meant to fulfill the obligations imposed upon her by that instrument. In all international relations where Russia's territorial ambitions have been thwarted by the intervention of the great powers, she has uniformly followed a policy of procrastination in the fulfillment of treaty obligations, ignored them later by degrees and bided her time when, at the psychological moment, she dared openly to violate all of them and recover through diplomacy, trickery or other means what she had failed to hold or to seize by force of arms.

She is playing the old game in Manchuria again in the way she has always played it, and she is paying as little heed to the treaty of Portsmouth as she paid to the treaty of Berlin, when she sent the Black sea volunteer fleet through the Dardenelles to join Rojestvensky's Baltic fleet en route to the scene of its destruction in Oriental waters. Under the Portsmouth treaty she was required to move her armies out of Manchuria save a military police patrol of the share of the Manchurian railway allotted to her, within a period of eighteen months. She delayed for over two years and not then until representations were made by Great Britain and the United States based on complaints lodged against her by the Chinese government. The treaty also required the restoration of control of the civil affairs of the province to the Chinese authorities. Russia went through a form of relinquishing civil jurisdiction in all of the districts where she had assumed civil as well as military control before the war; but in Harbin, which she has continued to hold as a military depot, she has renewed civil control by levying taxes on Chinese merchants and expelling them for non-payment, notwithstanding the protests of the Chinese government. The latter has stationed since the war a strong military force in Northern Manchuria to maintain its sovereignty and the latest reports from St. Petersburg represent that a conflict has taken place between Chinese and Russian troops near Harbin. Russia justifies her action in levying taxes on the Chinese merchants on the grounds that they reap the benefits of railroad communication and should contribute their share toward the expense of its military protection against the raids of Manchurian brigands. This is, of course, a mere pretext to recover what she lost through the war and the treaty. Her action at Harbin will doubtless result in new representations by the British, American and Japanese governments, but in the diplomatic negotiations which are likely to follow she will probably triumph in the long run, as has been her custom.

It is reported that ex-President Castro intends sailing from Bordeaux for La Guaira on March 28th. The announcement is somewhat sensational, if true, for Castro has been indicted by the Federal Court of Venezuela on a charge of conspiring for the assassination of his successor, President Juan Vicente Gomez. If Castro succeeds in returning to Venezuela the republic will be plunged again into a civil war, for, notwithstanding the exposure of his wholesale robbery of the national treasury, which followed his departure for Europe, and the settlement of the difficulties in which the republic became involved during his administration of its affairs as Dictator, it is not likely that he has lost all influence with its mercurial people. The Gomez government will doubtless take measures to either prevent his landing or to put him under arrest as soon as he puts foot on Venezuelan soil, for the Gomez administration has no sympathy with Castro or his policies.

The two-cent letter postage arrangement between the United Kingdom and the United States, which went into effect a few months ago, has worked so satisfactorily that it is announced that a similar postal compact is about to be concluded between the United States and France. John Henniker Heaton, the father of international penny letter postage, is working assiduously to induce all of the nations in the universal postal union to adopt the international letter rate of two cents for each ounce or fraction thereof as a substitute for the five-cent rate for every half ounce or fraction thereof which they now charge. The unqualified success of the new rate between the British Isles and the United States serves as an invaluable object lesson and is doubtless greatly aiding Heaton in his missionary work.

Free Library Trustees.

While the position of a Free Library Trustee is strictly honorary, no compensation being attached to it, it is none the less important, for the Free Library is not only a great public convenience, but it is also a great educational auxiliary. The standard of the Oakland Free Library has been kept on a high plane. It has an exceptionally competent librarian in charge; but his efficiency amounts to practically nothing unless he is backed by a competent Board of Trustees. Hitherto the Oakland Free Library has been conducted to the entire satisfaction of everybody concerned. It has been free from scandal or reproach. Its affairs have been managed economically. The Trustees have for years worked harmoniously with the common purpose in view of maintaining the highest standard of efficiency with the least expense to the public treasury. The Board of Trustees has been composed of Republicans, in whom the public have reposed the utmost confidence. Nothing has happened to disturb it. A ticket of Library Trustees was chosen by the city Republican convention which accords with the character of the boards that it has selected in the past and which have served the community and, given their time and attention unselfishly to the public interest. The same may be expected from the following Trustees who have been nominated, and should be elected without fail at the election tomorrow, namely: O. T. Wilson, John Brewer, James Morrow, Charles Quayle and Frank M. Parcells. They are entitled to the undivided support of the electorate. Vote for them!

The appointment of "Butcher" Weyler to the post of captain-general of the Spanish province of Catalonia is one of the most astonishing of recent political events, in view of the infamous record he made as governor of the Philippines and subsequently of Cuba. In the Philippines his tyrannies were directed toward oppressing its people for his own enrichment. As governor-general of Cuba he horrified the civilized world by the herding of the families of the revolutionists in corrals and keeping them there to starve. His inhuman treatment of the so-called "reconcentrados," otherwise Cuban patriots, was what brought about the war between the United States and Spain and resulted in the destruction of Spain's fleets in home and Oriental waters and the loss of her West Indian and Oriental possessions, the independence of Cuba and the establishment of an American protectorate over what had been described in Spanish annals before as "the ever faithful isle." It is one of the curious turns of politics that such an infamous character as General Weyler should ever regain favor again and be given an opportunity to repeat his record—this time on the Spanish peninsula.

Oakland's bank clearings continue to rise. Bradstreet reports that for the week ending at the close of business Thursday a gain of 37.8 per cent was noted over the corresponding week in 1907. The clearings of the week amounted to $2,064,000 and exceeded those of forty-four of the ninety-six cities named in the published list.

Old Mother Earth continues to be in much travail. Mexico and Algiers are the latest countries to be heard from as being shaken by earthquakes.

NOTE AND EXCERPT

The only time a girl can't pretend is when she is seasick.

The reason there are so few great men is how many think they are.

The things that a woman can't believe are only those that she doesn't want to.

The more money you could make in any business the surer somebody else is to own it.

It was to celebrate the prohibition victories along its banks that the Ohio river ran to high water.

There is no surer way to convince a girl you are making love to her than to try to make her think you aren't.

It begins to look as if an anti-smoking-car wave were rising. This hospitable common ground for millionaire and pauper may as well take its classy odors over to the stockyards and dispose of them for whatever it can get to a soap factory and come back prepared for a ladylike cruise.

Even though the office is to pay but $75,000, Mr. Bryan would consider a serious proposal to give up his private business for the job.

One of the most useful traits a man can have is not to think he knows how to do half a dozen things so well that he needn't do any of them.

One of the ambitions that the average girl has is to speak to a strange man just because the thought of it scares her so she never would.

If a man knows what a millionaire looks like from seeing his picture in the newspapers, he will try to give the impression they are on intimate terms.

Pointed Paragraphs

Don't stay up all night because you can't learn it all in one day.

A woman is somewhat of a fast express—unless she is tongue-tied.

In looking backward a man sees only the bright spots in his past.

Life is merely a sentence at hard labor—with something added for good behavior.

Might doesn't always make right; occasionally it falls down while trying to make good.

Keep your eye on the coal supply. There may be a large supply of cold-storage weather still in stock.

If some people were to think twice before speaking they would probably forget what they wanted to say.

Too many people make the mistake of putting up their future happiness as collateral for the loan of a few dollars.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR

But for our troubles we would be unable to appreciate happiness.

It isn't necessary to tell a booze fighter that he should love his enemy.

Lots of people wouldn't know what to do with patience if they had it.

Even when a man proves that he is a woman's superior she doesn't believe it.

No, reader, trunk lines are not created entirely for baggage smashing purposes.

Some people never get too old to learn, and some others never get old enough to learn anything.

Hetty Green's son-in-law should be one man who won't find the mother-in-law jokes misleading.

The most that a girl likes about getting engaged is how some mean old cat said she never could.

There will never have to be any commissions appointed to conserve the diminishing supply of political timber.

Most men who are born rich act as if they were smarter to inherit a fortune than their fathers were to make it.

An Ohio minister says osculation is worse than wine. Mr. Drinkard would probably say it is not quite so good.

Gertrude Hoffmann's idea of practicing the Salome dance at a bathing beach probably was suggested by the kindred paucity of her costume and bathing suit.

IF

If men would not resort to might
And not like fiends, contend and fight,
If justice would protect the right,
How thankful we should be.

TIMOTHY HAY.

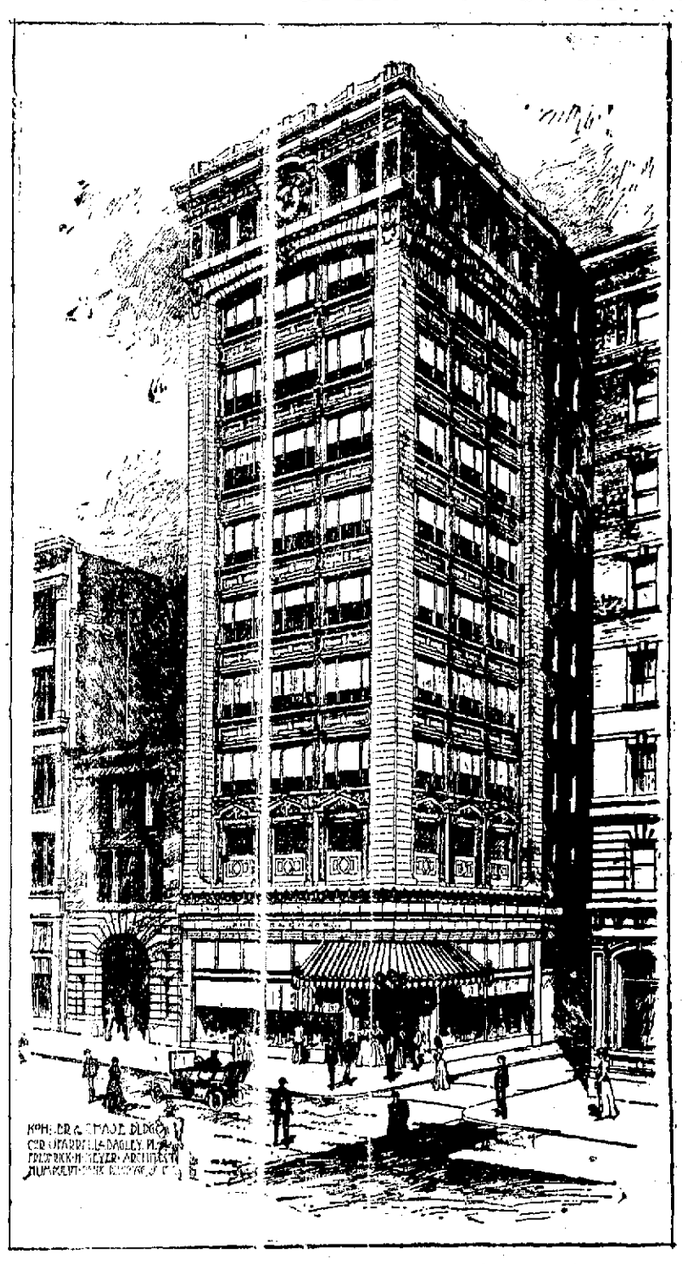
CARTER HARRISON HOME IN HANDS OF WRECKERS

CHICAGO, March 6.—Another landmark is being removed to make way for the modern apartment building. The homestead of Carter Harrison, at one time considered one of the handsomest residences in the city, is in the hands of the wreckers. Mrs. Potter Palmer once lived there. It was in the broad hallway that Mayor Harrison was shot by Pendergast on the closing day of the World's Fair.

"BOOST" IS WATCHWORD OF CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The semi-annual meeting and election of officers of the Progress and Prosperity Committee of the Chamber of Commerce was held last night at headquarters. The election of officers resulted as follows: Judge G. E. Ryker, chairman; K. A. Millican, vice-chairman; C. C. Borton, secretary; R. A. Wiand, treasurer.

New San Francisco Home of Kohler & Chase



The plans for a ten-story skyscraper, to be known as the Music building, have been completed by Frederick H. Meyer, the architect for the owners, Kohler & Chase. This imposing building will stand in the center of our sister city across the bay, on the north side of O'Farrell street, at the corner of Bagley place, between Grant avenue and Stockton street. The building will have a frontage of 88 feet on O'Farrell street and 95 feet on Bagley place, and there is an L at the rear 22 by 22.6.

The structure will be class A, having a steel frame and concrete floors and walls. In the exterior copper will be used in conjunction with the glazed terra cotta. A novel feature of the building will be a great clock at the top story, ten feet in diameter, with a chime of bells upon the roof, the bells alone weighing 7000 pounds. The chimes will be heard over the city every fifteen minutes day and night.

Contracts have been let for construction, and the building is to be finished September 1st. The first floor will be finished in marble and decorated plaster, and it will be used more as an entrance room than for show purposes. The two top floors will be arranged for studios for music teachers, and the second floor will be devoted to a hall for concerts and other musical assemblages. The remainder of the floors will be used exclusively by the music firm for its showrooms, offices and reception rooms. The cost of the building will be $175,000.

Of more local interest is the news that in the near future this well-known-music house will erect a similar building on this side of the bay to properly house the magnificent business they enjoy in Alameda county.

The same style of architecture will be followed. The same general plan as to the uses of the various floors will be maintained, the only difference being in the height of the two structures, the Oakland building containing two or three less floors.

Oakland is the home city of the members of this progressive firm, and it has long been their desire to build a business home of their own here that will be a distinct credit to the city and an enduring monument to the fame and name of Kohler & Chase. These plans were frustrated by the San Francisco fire of three years ago, but with the construction of the San Francisco store completed in the near future it is now only a question of months before attention will be given to their handsome Oakland business edifice.

Smart Styles

Opening Days

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday are COSGRAVE'S opening display days. Hundreds of new exclusive tailor-made models on display. Every day during this month will be "Display Day," yet the models shown will be for sale.

As predicted earlier in the season, COSGRAVE'S Tailor-Made ideas would be very popular. Just now exclusive trade demands garments built on strictly Tailored lines. Within the past few days the demand for Tailored garments has increased. Actually hundreds of new models to be seen here during "Opening Days," Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Tailored Styles

The new fabrics for spring shown by Eastern exclusive style tailors are placed on display simultaneously by COSGRAVE'S, Oakland. Beautiful soft grays with delicate shadings of green are shown in pleasing street suits and strictly tailored models. Hundreds on display. Made-to-Order or Ready-to-Wear spring styles. Perfect fit guaranteed.

Model Waists

We have enlarged our Waist Department, and arranged to carry only the most exclusive styles, and make a specialty of strictly Tailored Linen Waists. Also exclusive styles of Lingerie, Messaline and Fancy Silk Waists.

In selecting models for this enlarged department, our buyer has been very particular about the style of the sleeves.

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VOTE FOR CANDIDATES ON THE MOTT TICKET, URGES THE CITIZENS' MUNICIPAL LEAGUE PARTY

TO THE VOTERS OF OAKLAND:

The Citizens' Municipal League party, established eighteen years ago in the interests of good government, has continuously since that time until the present year had a ticket in the field in each municipal election, but for reasons already explained, due to the present election laws, it made no nominations this year.

The league desires emphatically to endorse the present administration, at whose head is Mayor Frank K. Mott.

It heartily approves the platform of the Republican party relative to municipal improvements and municipal policies, and urges all voters who have been affiliated in the past with the league, or who sympathize with its principles and purposes, to vote at the coming municipal election for the candidates nominated on the Mott ticket. It especially requests all such voters to cast their ballots without fail at the coming municipal election and to influence their friends to do so, in order that a large and decisive vote of confidence in the present executive and legislative officers of the city and of recognition of their earnest efforts for the improvement and betterment of Oakland, may be the result.

The league also endorses the proposed charter amendments and urges all voters who have the interests of the city at heart to vote in favor of these amendments without fail at the special election to be held Friday, March 5, 1909, as they are designed to remedy substantial defects in the present charter and give additional powers to the voters in remedial legislation. By order of the Central Committee of Managers.

W. G. MANUEL, President.
J. W. NELSON, Secretary.

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BANKERS TO MAKE BUILDING LOANS

Too Leading Bankers Have Decided to Begin Making Them in a Few Days

"Two of the leading banks in town," said a prominent real estate broker in an interview on Friday, "have decided to begin making building loans during the coming week. The chief drawback to trading in realty and to the resumption of building improvements," he added "has been the difficulty of getting building loans. Money is now getting so plentiful that the banks are relaxing and a change of policy in this respect is to be inaugurated. Whenever 'building loans' are freely made, there will be an activity in the realty market and in building unequaled since the year of San Francisco's big fire. The coming summer is going to make 1909 a record year."

The offices of local architects are employing a full force of draughtsmen. "My office," said one of them during the week, "has never had as much work to do as it has on hand now, and I am compelled to turn away a lot of custom for moderate sized dwellings."

"I have more completed plans drawn to order on hand at the present time," said another, "than I have ever had before. Contracts on them will be awarded as soon as building loans can be secured, and they depend to a large measure on the setting in of settled weather. The owners do not care about making loans until they are sure that building operations will not be interrupted by rainstorms. But we are sure to have busy times through the remainder of the year, as there is so much preparatory work done and so much more in sight."

MORE BUILDING PERMITS WANTED

Since the secretary of the Board of Public Works made his weekly report, among the applications filed for permits are the following:

J. M. and Marie P. Thez, for a one-story dwelling and two stores at the northwest corner of Adeline and Fifty-eighth streets, to cost $2500.

C. H. Pearson, two-story, eleven-room flats, on the south side of Forty-fourth street, near Telegraph avenue, to cost $4500.

Cy. Moreing, for bleachers on the new athletic grounds of the California baseball league, better known as the "Outlaws," at the northwest corner of Aileen (Thirty-seventh) and Grove streets, to cost $3600.

A. D. Cummings, for two-story, eleven-room flats, on Eleventh avenue, near East Fifteenth street, to cost $4650.

M. Sullivan, for two-story, nine-room flats, on Thirty-sixth street near Grove, for $3475.

T. D. Courtwright, one-story, five-room cottage, at Fifty-fifth street near Dover, costing $2000.

Andrew Park & Co., for two-story, seven-room dwelling, on Perkins street near Grand avenue, costing $3500.

REALTY MARKET OUTLOOK BRIGHT

Plenty of Business in Sight When the Rainy Season Terminates

With an occasional spell of fine weather breaking intermittently into long series of rainstorms, the buoyancy of realty interests in Oakland has been demonstrated by the prompt resumption of inquiries for available properties at the real estate offices. Prospective buyers are, of course, driven under cover again when rain sets in, and the closing of many sales is interrupted and delayed by the unsettled weather.

The most important sale of business property of the week was privately consummated and has gone on record. It consisted of the transfer by Mary Cleary to Mrs. Sarah A. Cattell of a lot 25x75 on the east side of Clay street, between Eighth and Ninth streets. It carries at present an old wooden two-story building of comparatively no value. The consideration was $12,500. This sets a new record of $500 per front foot for Clay street values south of Ninth street, the highest mark so far reached. It indicates the faith investors have in the future of Clay street as a business thoroughfare.

The Laymance Real Estate Company reports that the drift of investment at the present time is toward unimproved fine residence and apartment house sites, for the purpose of their immediate improvement. The importance of this development cannot be overestimated, for it means that while the naked lots may range in value only from $1000 to $8000, the improvements planned to be made upon them as soon as the weather settles range from $8000 to $30,000 each. The Laymance Real Estate Company has made several sales of this character during the week, on which deposits have been made, but the closure of which inclement weather has so far delayed.

"Whenever we get a bit of sunshine," remarked William J. Laymance, "there is a rush of business, which shows conclusively that all now lacking to make an exceptionally active market is settled weather. There are plenty of persons desirous of buying Oakland realty; but the weather has been so stormy for so long a period that we cannot show the properties they fancy, nor are they willing to face the discomforts of rain and muddy roads if we were able to take them out to make an inspection.

This Good Janitor Must Be Insane

BAYONNE, N. J., March 6.—Thos. McIntyre, a janitor employed in one of the local schools, has given the school board a shock by asking that his salary be reduced from $50 to $40 a month. His request was granted without any heated debate. McIntyre said that he considered $50 too much pay for the service he gave the city.

THE REMODELED KELLY BUILDING, IN COURSE OF CONSTRUCTION, AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF FOURTEENTH AND CLAY STREETS. DESIGNED BY McCALL & WYTHE.

NEW MERRITT HOSPITAL IS AN IDEAL INSTITUTION

Strictly Modern in Every Detail, It Is the First Endowed Enterprise of the Kind in Alameda County.

Barely six weeks ago the Merritt Hospital opened its doors to the public. The occasion marked an epoch in Oakland's history, for this hospital is the first endowed institution of its kind in Alameda County. A better built, more advantageously situated or more thoroughly equipped establishment would be hard to find.

Located as it is, there is not a room in the entire building which does not, at some hour of the day, have the benefit of the sun's direct rays, and the long, many-windowed corridors, together with two capacious solariums, speak for the emphasis laid upon the benefits to be derived from this fact. A visit to this hospital impresses the conviction that modern scientists lay great stress upon the healing power of air and sunlight, and patients at the Merritt Hospital will have plenty of both, with the additional satisfaction of a magnificent view of San Francisco and the Golden Gate thrown in.

Hospital a Revelation

A detailed description of the general building plan was published in a recent number of THE TRIBUNE, together with a brief account of its furnishings and capacity. But this gave only the most meager picture of the whole, for Merritt Hospital is a revelation to those unacquainted with the advance of medical science. Every modern appliance has been introduced, and the layman can but marvel at the many mechanical inventions used in conjunction with surgical skill in healing the sick.

Apart from the operating and ward rooms the Merritt Hospital could be, without much stretch of the imagination, compared to a huge hotel. The present corps of house servants numbers eight, and these are kept busy plying their respective vocations.

On the morning of a recent visit ground was being broken facing the front of the hospital for a new lawn, a by no means easy task, for the heavy rains had made the soil difficult to get in order. Dr. Alvin Lowell, the resident physician, was an interested observer of the plowing, and, in his attire of spotless white, made a striking picture outlined to view beneath the spreading branches of a Monterey pine—one of a row on the broad road facing Broadway.

Doctor Discusses Plans

During the short chat which followed the doctor spoke of the yet unfulfilled plans calling for another wing between the two completed ends of the hospital; also of the not distant future when the entire building would be completed. Later the doctor led to the main entrance, where Dr. P. L. Wheeler, to whom much of the credit for the swift progress of this hospital belongs, had already arrived. For Dr. Wheeler is extremely punctilious in regard to keeping appointments, and it was he who had consented to show the building. He kept his word, and a more interesting tour right here in Oakland would be impossible.

The main vestibule entrance is of noble proportions, with floor of beautifully colored magnesite and furnishings of solid mahogany upholstered in leather. To the right is a large reception room, while on the left is the main office, where business is transacted. Here Miss Stokes presides as clerk, while Miss White, head of the nurses, has her business room farther away and adjoining the office of Dr. Powell. In line also is a large room fitted up for the visiting physicians, where they may meet to discuss matters pertaining to cases, or to rest, if need be.

Other Special Rooms

Still beyond are other rooms for the use of the physicians, rooms where they may easily remove all traces of operations performed by them. Perhaps the most attractive corner of this room is the one walled in marble and owning to an easily regulated shower bath of warm or cold water.

A room almost similar in every respect is destined for the use of such nurses as may have assisted at operations. A small, shelved apartment was occupied by the young women busily engaged in preparing bandages for future use.

On the opposite side of the hall are operating rooms, provided with ample skylights and every needed facility for artificial lighting. And it is while in these rooms that the wonder grows concerning modern surgical appliances. The operating table, for instance, is most ingenious in regard to the way in which a patient, willy-nilly, must lie with head raised or lowered, as necessity arises. Also, it has an additional strip of nickel which can be operated by itself, causing the abdomen to be high above the other parts of the body, while the legs hang helplessly down over the nickel slab at the end. These adjustments are made by means of easily worked cranks.

Two Operating Rooms

There are two operating rooms, one, the smaller, to be used for emergency cases and both finished with rounded glass tables and door knobs and electrical appliances. Adjoining is a sterilizing room with fittings in nickel, and nearby a room devoted exclusively to the use of bacteriology, and presided over I believe by Dr. Pauline Neusbamer. It is furnished with tables, sinks and faucets innumerable, as well as an incubator for germ growth.

One of the useful articles housed near this portion of the hospital is a bath tub on wheels, designed for the use of patients suffering from contagious diseases.

To the rear are kitchen pantries and dining-rooms, all sunny, attractive and furnished with every possible convenience. Food for patients is placed in covered cauldrons, which are then set in a covered modern compartment on wheels and taken to any desired place for serving.

A connecting corridor leads from this central part of the hospital to the

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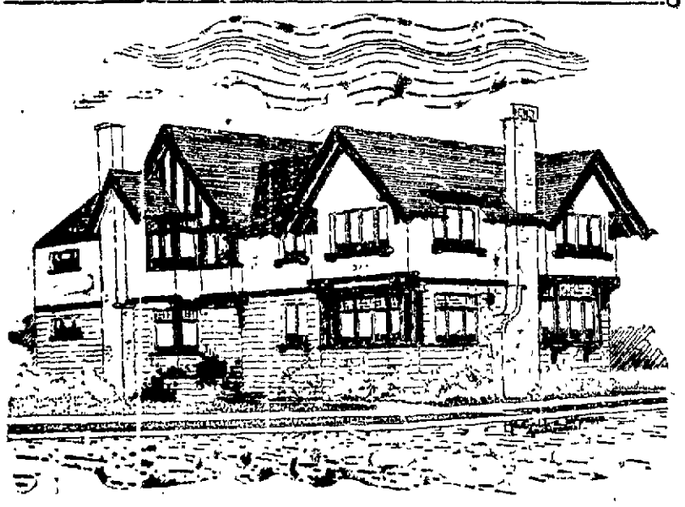
VOICE APARTMENT FLATS ON THIRTY-THIRD STREET TO COST $7750.



The accompanying drawing illustrates four-roomed apartment flats now being erected on a 40 foot lot on Thirty-third street, between Telegraph avenue and Grove street for L. D. Voice. Living and dining-rooms to have paneled walls and beamed ceilings treated in the craftsman style. The cost of building is $7,750.

EIGHTH STREET IMPROVEMENT

D. Bercovitch and Ed. and M. Markowitz Are Putting Up $40,000 Building

The "Yosemite Building" will be located on the south side of Eighth street, between Clay and Washington streets, and is now in course of construction under the supervision of Architect DeVere V. Derrel.

The owners of the property are Dave Bercovich, Ed and M. Markowitz, enterprising business men well known in the cities around the bay.

This building will be class "C" type, three stories and basement, having a frontage of seventy feet by one hundred feet deep, and excavated sidewalk. Basement walls and floors will be concrete and the building will be brick, with pressed brick and terra-cotta front, prism and plate glass show windows and galvanized iron cornices, and will contain three stores and sixty rooms, single or connecting, hot water, circulating system with baths and basins electric lights and electric return call system to the main office.

Plastering will be white-coated and tinted, wood work will be Oregon pine stained and polished.

The building, when completed, will cost $40,000.

With all that money and with all his years it appears that he man first won distinction by marrying Hetty Green's daughter.

DISCUSSING CHURCH PLAN CHANGES

First M. E. Property May Be Used for Business as Well as Religious Purposes

A rumor has been circulated that the trustees of both the First Congregational and the First Methodist churches were planning to erect new structures on their Clay-street properties for business as well as for religious uses. Indeed, it went so far as to be positively announced by a San Francisco real estate publication that in the case of the First Methodist Church, the trustees had ordered the preparation of plans for a six-story, modern, fireproof and earthquake-proof structure, to cost $400,000, which would combine a church auditorium, business offices and stores, something like the Metropolitan Temple block on Fifth street, opposite the United States Mint in San Francisco, which was, of course, consumed in the great fire. For many years it served as the church of a Baptist congregation whose expenses were materially reduced by the rentals derived from the business quarters. And on the strength of the assumption that the trustees of the First Methodist Church had taken the alleged action it was reported that the trustees of the First Congregational Church were considering a similar change in regard to the property on the west side of Clay, between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets, on which their present place of worship now stands.

First Methodist Plans

So far as the First Methodist Church is concerned, the program outlined may be carried, but the report that it has been decided upon and that architects have been employed to make plans for a $400,000 six-story class A building combining religious and commercial accommodations, is premature.

"We have talked the matter over in committee meetings at various times," said L. G. Burpee, vice-president of the

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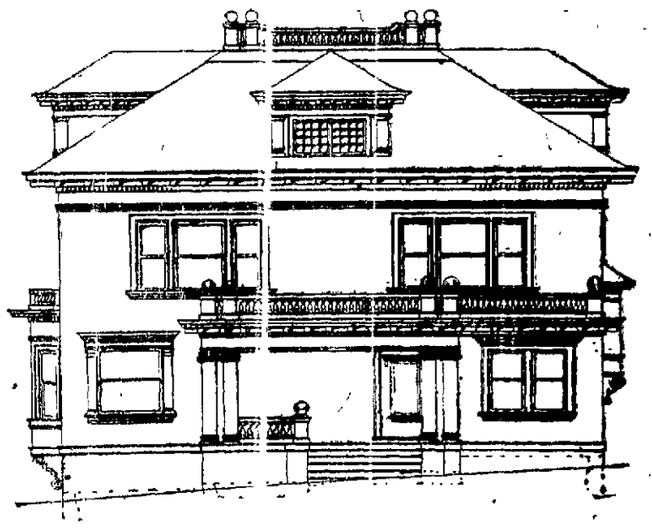
TWO STORY TEN ROOM BUILDING

And Two-Story Flats on Alice Near Durant--Total Cost Approximately $18,000

A two-story three flat building, designed by C. M. Cook, has just been completed for A. Silverstine on the east side of Alice street, near Durant, at a cost of $3000. The building contains every up-to-date convenience.

A two-story ten-room frame building with attic and basement, designed by the same architect, has also just been completed for Mrs. G. M. Stolp on the northwest corner of Monticello and Ramona avenues, Piedmont, at a cost of $10,000. Outline drawings of both structures are shown in accompanying illustrations.

MRS. G. M. STOLP'S $10,000 RESIDENCE, NORTHWEST CORNER OF MONTICELLO AND RAMONA AVENUES, PIEDMONT.



Revival of Cottage and Flat Building to Meet the Growing Demand for Dwellings

Following is a summary of the building permits applied for at the Board of Public Works for the week ending Wednesday, March 3, 1909, as compiled by Walter B. Fawcett, secretary:

	Permits	Amounts
1-story dwellings	18	$29,883.00
2-story dwellings	6	26,145.00
3-story flats	3	12,985.00
2-story flats	1	6,500.00
Sanitarium (2 1-story cottages	2	470.00
Garages, stables and sheds	9	2,000.00
Alterations, additions and repairs	27	25,353.00
Total	66	$104,216.00

Report by Wards

First ward	27	$37,255.00
Second ward	9	15,420.00
Third ward	1	2,500.00
Fourth ward	1	200.00
Fifth ward	10	3,100.00
Sixth ward	8	14,030.00
Seventh ward	10	33,711.00
Total	66	$104,216.00

Building Permits

The applications for building permits of the week, ending Wednesday evening, March 3, were in detail as follows:

Dr. J. D. Beharnon, two one-story cottages for hospital, east side of Claremont avenue, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth street, $235 each.

C. Frannsler, alterations, 535 Jones street, $450.

J. O. Arnett, altering dwelling to flats, west side of Filbert street, twenty-five feet south of Twenty-sixth street, $900.

H. M. Swalley, one-story, five-room bungalow, south side of Merchant street, 270 feet west of Grove street, $1500.

M. Ebinger, one-story, two-room stable, 6304 Herzog street (rear), $50.

J. V. Perry, two-story, nine-room flats, southwest corner of Twenty-sixth and Filbert streets, $2465.

M. Fenton, alterations, southwest corner of Forty-first and Howe streets, $425.

E. Anderson, garage, 460 Twenty-sixth street (rear), $80.

White Baking Company, one-story, two-room barn, northwest corner of Sixteenth and Market streets (rear), $200.

P. Varelas, alterations, 542 Broadway, $50.

B. Hlepas, alterations, 418 Eighth street, $15.

West Oakland Bank and Trust Company, alterations, 1628 Seventh street, $450.

E. Cavanaugh, one-story, five-room cottage, each side of Ayala street, 210 feet south of Martin street, $1800.

Mrs. L. E. Dorin, alterations, 511 Fifth street, $250.

W. Lancaster, one-story, six-room dwelling, west side of Greenwood, between Brighton and White streets, $3000.

United Iron Works, alterations, Second and Jefferson streets, $600.

J. B. Lemas, alterations, 1475 Third street, $75.

James Smith, one-story, two-room dwelling, west side of View street, 108 feet north of Mather street, $300.

Nils Erickson & Son, one-story, six-room cottage, south side of Sixty-fifth street, 194 feet east of Shattuck avenue, $2190.

Pacific Gas and Electric Company, alterations, southeast corner of First and Grove streets, $12,500.

F. H. Belmer, addition, east side of Magnolia, 175 feet south of Thirty-fourth street (rear), $100.

Hidecker Lumber Company, one-story, one-room shed, east side of Lowell street, 150 feet north of Sixtieth street, $250.

W. Jepersen, one-story, five-room cottage, south side of Fifty-third street, ninety feet west of Market street, $1950.

R. Cuthbert, one-story, four-room cottage, south side of Sixty-first street, 250 feet east of Idaho street, $2400.

A. G. Usilm, one-story, five-room cottage, west line of Herzog street, 200 feet west of Alcatraz, $1800.

Mrs. T. C. Rust, one-story 5-room dwelling, south side of Sixtieth street, 110 feet east of Telegraph avenue; $2000.

August Wennell, one-story 5-room cottage, south side of Fifty-sixth street, 75 feet west of Genoa street; $1800.

E. Devlen, alterations, 3799 West street; $75.

Hy Chong Company, alterations, 901 Webster street; $25.

Masonic Temple Association, alterations, 1105 Washington street; $1500.

H. H. Jesse, one-story, 5-room cottage, east line of Montgomery street, 275 feet north of Ridgeway; $2000.

D. Dwyer, alterations and additions, 4102 Piedmont avenue; $1800.

F. C. Wallace, one-story, 6-room dwelling west side of Brown street, 120 feet north of Fifty-ninth street; $1300.

Henry Root, one-story stable, north side of East Fourteenth street, 17 feet west of Twenty-fourth avenue; $1000.

Carl G. Bjork, alterations and addition, 1269 East Twenty-fourth street; $1198.

B. Alforno & Co., two-story barn, south side of Apgar street, 125 feet west of West street; $400.

A. F. Gimball, two-story 8-room dwelling, west side of Wayne avenue, 150 feet north of Hanover; $6000.

William Mann, two-story 20-room flats, northeast corner of East Eleventh street and Fourth avenue; $7000.

J. Wiren, altering dwelling to flats, 1135 Myrtle street; $2500.

Lena Page, two-story 10-room dwelling, south side of Hudson street, 60 feet west of Boyd avenue; $5000.

George Ferguson, alterations, southwest corner Twentieth and Broadway; $125.

H. W. Thiele, one-story dwelling, south side of Apgar street, 501 feet east of Market street; $600.

Mrs. H. L. Sampson, two-story 11 room dwelling, south side of Apgar street, 690 feet west of Telegraph avenue; $3500.

H. S. Shephert, two-story 6-room shed, north side of Glen avenue, 286 feet east of Piedmont avenue; $100.

H. Phillips, two-story 6-room dwelling, north side of Rosal avenue, 300 feet each of Lake Shore avenue; $1295.

Lekos Bros. Co., new roof, 1678 Seventh street; $190.

Thomas Williams, alterations, 580 Twelfth street; $100.

Mrs. M. Hayes, alterations, 527 Eighth street, $100.

M. E. Bassett, one-story 5-room cottage, west side of Fourteenth avenue, 90 feet north of East Twenty-first street; $1750.

Edward B. Jacobs, one-story, 4-room cottage, west side of Eighth avenue, 60 feet north of East Ninth street; $1293.

John Good, two-story, 5 and 6-room flats, east side of Broadway, 486 feet north of Orchard; $3500.

M. J. Brown, three-story 15-room flats, south side of Twenty-third street, 190 feet west of Grove street; $6500.

N. J. Brown, move house to rear of lot at No. 673 Twenty-third street, $250.

Martin E. Marke, alterations, 372 Twelfth street; $50.

L. DeRome, one-story, 4-room garage and shed, north side of Fifty-ninth, 200 feet east of San Pablo; $545.

R. A. Archibald, repair and reshingling, 1224 Webster street; $75.

Mrs. Callan, addition, 1444 Filbert street; $200.

Bohemian Club, alterations, 462 Twelfth street; $450.

A. Moore, alterations, 406 Rose street; $100.

John H. Peterson, one-story, 5-room dwelling, west side of Howell street, 100 feet south of Fifty-ninth street; $1800.

W. McLean, two-story, 6-room house, south side of Isabella street, 160 feet east of Twenty-second street; $2975.

Mr. Berg, one-story, 1-room stable, southwest corner Pearl and Wadsworth; $275.

Norma G Clark, two-story 8-room dwelling, southeast corner of Lake Shore and East Lake avenue; $4375.

Mary Luthe, one-story 4-room cottage, south side of Thirtieth street, 100 feet east of Adeline street; $1600.

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$100 cash, $10 per month; new 5-room cottage, never occupied, large lot, California st.

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$250 cash, $25 per month; new cottage; never occupied, 5 rooms, large entry hall, partly enclosed porch; terraced lot, sunny side of East 22d st.

$350 cash, $30 per month; new 6-room cottage; on car line; couple of blocks to Key Route.

$400 cash, $30 per month; will build from your plans, Orchard st.

$500 cash, $30 per month; swell 5-room cottage, large lot; 46th st.

$750 cash, $35 per month; pretty home in Piedmont hills, with fine view; close to car and Key Route.

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PROSPECTS FOR YEAR 1909 IN OAKLAND'S REALTY MARKET WAS NEVER BRIGHTER

NEW MERRITT HOSPITAL IS AN IDEAL INSTITUTION

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wing occupied by the patients. And, in passing, let it be distinctly known that, by the terms of the will of the late Dr. Merritt, provision is made for free patients, equal in number to those paying for the privilege of being treated within the walls of this new hospital.

Splendid Free Ward

The free ward occupies apartments looking toward the Golden Gate and, except that several beds must of necessity be placed in the rooms, the dividing line is not strongly marked. The higher priced rooms, intended for patients able to pay for the luxury, have a private bath attached. There are no carpets anywhere in the building, but well-chosen rugs in warm tones serve to add an air of brightness wherever placed.

The second story is practically a reproduction of the lower floor, except that there are no operating rooms or offices. There is, however, a smaller kitchen and pantry here looking to the needs of those patients requiring special care.

The hospital is two stories high, with large basement under the whole. A delightful feature of the wards are the two solariums, one above the other, affording view of a wide sweep of hills now just moving into slopes of vivid green.

Mechanical Features

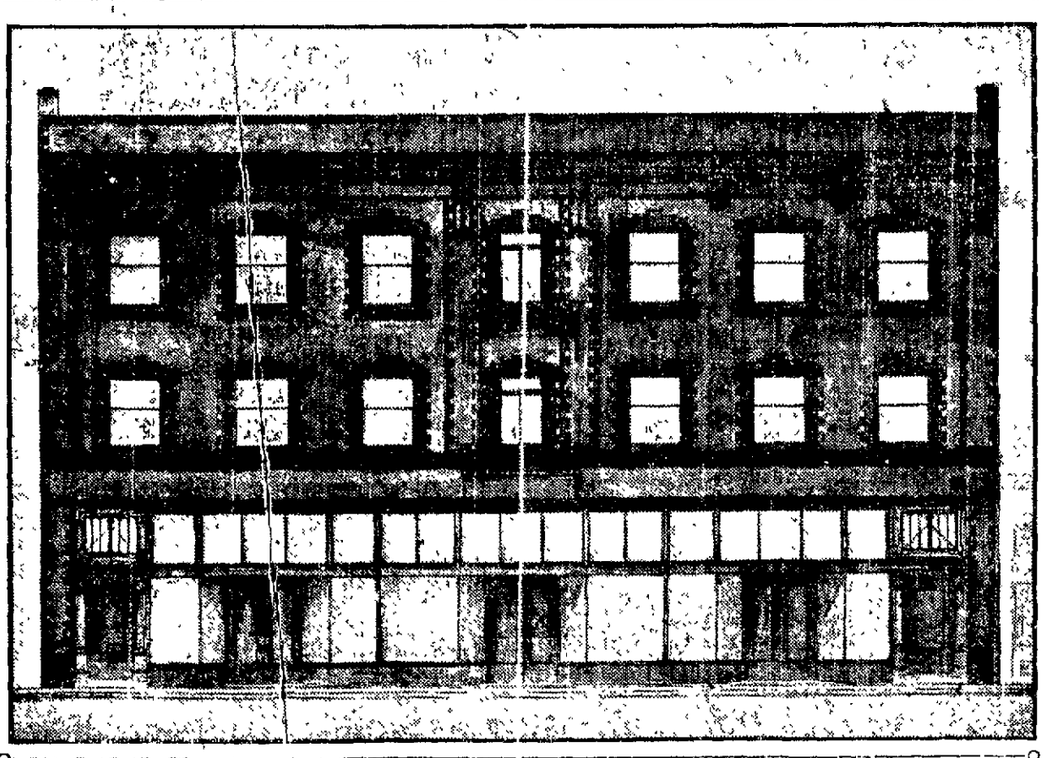
It would be unfair not to mention the basement, wherein is spread much of the machinery so necessary to the successful running of a modern hospital, and which brings to mind that almost forgotten splendidly appointed X-Ray apartment on the main floor, whose appliances are only partially in place as yet.

The big furnaces make their immediate vicinity too hot to linger in, and the wash and ironing rooms cool by comparisons.

The washing is all done by machinery; so, too, is the ringing and drying, in a contrivance much resembling an incubator. Electric irons and ranges tend to make life easy for the laundresses, whose rooms are on the north side of the building.

A complete electrical plant and also a complete ice plant, distributing ice water all over the hospital, are prominent features of the basement given largely to storage purposes. Considering the brief period which the Merritt Hospital has been opened, the system already evolved in its management is marvelous. Miss White, the head nurse, has eight trained assistants, with six others in training. She is about to begin her course of weekly lectures immediately.

To Dr. Wheeler, as well as his fellows in trust, too many compliments are impossible for the skilful management which has made Merritt Hospital possible.



"YOSEMITE BUILDING," SOUTH SIDE EIGHTH STREET, BETWEEN CLAY AND WASHINGTON, NOW BEING BUILT. D. V. DEVEL, ARCHITECT.

DISCUSSING CHURCH PLAN CHANCES

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First Methodist Church trustees, in a recent interview, "but we have not decided upon anything. The proposition has simply been discussed tentatively as one of the means which might be adopted regarding the future disposition of the property. We have not ordered plans for such a building as has been described from any architect. Indeed, the discussion has been, so far, purely informal and the proposition is in that position today."

First Congregational Plans

When the attention of L. F. Boardman, cashier of the Union Savings Bank and secretary of the First Congregational Church board of trustees, was called to the published statement that they contemplated following the example alleged to have been set by the First Methodist Church, he remarked:

"There is absolutely no truth in it. We have no such intention in mind. The only reference to the matter of the First Methodist Church that the trustees have made has been to informally talk over the plans which we learned the trustees of that denomination were said to be considering. Perhaps the report that we contemplated similar action to that, with which they have been credited as having agreed upon, grows out of the knowledge that we were planning to make a new exit on the Clay-street side of the church building and a rearrangement of some of the pews on the main floor, to facilitate the movement in and out of the congregation; and some of us may have been seen visiting architects' offices for the purpose of talking over the preparation of plans for this purpose. We have never given a thought to any change in the present uses of the property, as is outlined in this statement, and nothing can be further from our mind."

Changes in Clay Street

For all that, the fact remains indisputable that the business development on Clay street is crowding both of these religious organizations closely these days. The whole aspect of the street has, within the past two years, undergone a wonderful change, and since the opening of the big emporium of Taft & Pennoyer, its occupation by the large retail establishments has become a certainty in the near future. The six-story Class A business block, which Dr. L. E. Kelly is erecting on the northwest corner of Fourteenth and Clay streets, opposite the First Methodist Episcopal Church, the lower four stories of which are to be occupied by Sherman Clay & Co., is the latest evidence of the change which is taking place. The exterior plans of this massive structure have been somewhat changed by the architects, McCall & Wythe, as will be seen by the perspective illustration published herewith today.

The contract has been let for three stories, mezzanine and basement.

Negotiations have been on foot for some time for an association of physicians and dentists to occupy the two top floors of the building, should it be carried up the six stories at present, as the steel work is planned for. The main mezzanine, second floors and basement have been let to Sherman Clay & Co.

When the Heesemann and the H. C. Capwell Company blocks are built upon, Clay street will have a group of business buildings upon it quite as imposing as any business street in the city, and these structures are the next which will be taken up there.

GREAT ACTIVITY IN PIEDMONT TERRACE

Spring business in home sites has opened up in earnest in A. J. Snyder's Piedmont Terrace by the Lake. During the past two weeks several lots have been picked up by homeseekers that have been enabled to look around during the pleasant weather, and at once were charmed with the location and improvements in this beautiful Hillside Tract. Building has been going on even in spite of the long rainy spell, and the following are now either occupying their homes or are preparing to move in: R. R. Read, manager of the Blake Moffit Estates; E. J. Mount, of the Central Bank, C. L. Hare, of the Standard Oil Co.; O. L. Jones, attorney; Mr. Tomlinson of San Francisco; Clarence Simonton of the Gas Company, and several others.

Some of the recent purchasers are preparing to begin building at once, and the prospects are that by the time the cars are put in on the extension of Grand avenue alongside this tract, during the summer, many more homes will be finished and occupied.

Mr. Snyder reports that the inquiry for property in all lines has been remarkably increased during the past two weeks, and that the fifteen persons in his employ have been busy showing property and closing up sales. Of the six unclosed sales reported last week four have been closed, but the unclosed list has increased to ten, showing the special increase in business.

THE KNAVE

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character. He was a boy on the Comstock, where he became acquainted with all the millionaires. He finally came to San Francisco and entered the saloon business for himself. He has a penchant for rich men. He has made a success, it is said, for two reasons. He tells a good story; the other reason is people who have known him for twenty years say he has never been known to deny any statement, no matter how ridiculous, of any customer who ever came into his bar.

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At the Bohemian Club there is a gentleman who has made, within the past week, the remarkable statement that he and his lumber and timber associates didn't care whether the tariff on lumber was going to be reduced under the Taft administration. It would betray a confidence to mention his name, but, however, he makes this statement, that the seven or eight leading lumber and timber men of the United States own and control all of the lumber and timber of Canada, or, at least, three-fourths of it. Some of these men are as follows: Frederick Weyerhauser of St. Paul, Thomas Walker of Minneapolis, C. A. Smith of Minneapolis and T. H. Shevlin of Minneapolis. According to this guess of the Bohemian Club, these men control, with their associates, one-half of the timber supply of the United States in addition to their three-fourths control of the standing timber of Canada.

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Banker William G. Gerber of Sacramento has been in the city this week. It appears that all the automobile people of the country are sounding the praises of Mr. Gerber. He, with a committee of citizens of Sacramento county, in connection with the board of supervisors of that county, are building a lot of modern county roads. They are spending six hundred thousand dollars for this purpose, and it is safe to say that within three years Los Angeles and Sacramento counties will have some of the best highways in the United States. These two counties will exceed any other district in this particular respect west of Kansas City.

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Captain J. Saunders of the Mongolia is on shore leave at the present time, and a great many of his friends are wondering whether R. P. Schwerin, Vice-President and General Manager of the Pacific Mail, is going to give him another command. Saunders is the man who ran his vessel on a reef near Hawaii. The vessel was finally taken off the reef, brought back here and repaired, and is now in service, better than ever. Many people at that time thought that, having wrecked his vessel, he would never get another command with the Pacific Mail. He, however, did get a command, and, much to the surprise of many people, got the same vessel back again. His latest trouble was in having fisticuffs with the doctor of his ship in the Orient. Schwerin is now in the East. Saunders is still on shore duty. Those who think they know say that when Schwerin gets back that Saunders will go back on his own Mongolia. It appears that Saunders, in addition to innate ability, is exceedingly friendly with E. H. Harriman, the railroad magnate, President Taft, Jacob H. Schiff of Kuhn, Loeb & Company, and Sir Ernest Cassell of London, who is the financial agent of King Edward the Seventh. These men have traveled from San Francisco to the Orient on the steamer captained by Saunders. They have a warm spot in their hearts for him. It is said that because of the influence of these people that Saunders will soon be in active duty again as the captain on one of the Pacific Mail liners.

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It would be a pity to mention his name, but here is a story they are telling about Mr. B., one of the directors of the Pacific Union Club. Not many days ago, this elderly officer of the club and also a trustee of one of the prominent churches of this town, was out rather late one night. He met a gentleman during the course of the evening, took a decided liking to him, invited him to his home. The next morning he introduced his new-found friend at the breakfast table. The friend had plenty of good manners, was dressed in as good clothes as to quality and quantity as his host; furthermore, he was intelligent and readily talked on all matters which seemed to interest his host and hostess. After breakfast they went down town together, had cigars and parted, with the final injunction from the Pacific Union Club man that he would like to have him for dinner some night.

The following Sunday night the clubman and his wife, with some friends, took dinner at the Bismarck, and lo and behold, the waiter who served them was the man that the Pacific Union Club man had taken to his home at night and entertained as a guest. The clubman's wife was very much embarrassed; the clubman himself was not. He insists that he never met a nicer man than this waiter. It turns out that the waiter used to be a lawyer at Savannah. He is in hard luck out here and temporarily trying to make a living acting as a waiter.

THE KNAVE.

BUILDING ACTIVE IN ISLAND CITY

Improved Weather Conditions Give New Life to Improvements and Realty Market

ALAMEDA, March 6.—There has been a lot of building during the past week in this city and real estate men are predicting a most prosperous season. The weather conditions while still somewhat unsettled have not caused much of a setback other than temporary. Prices are firm and it is hard to pick up property without paying for select locations at a sound marketable value.

While activity is noted on all sides the city the choice lots are in the east end. This section of the city is building up very rapidly and property thereabouts is being sought after, being considered a good buy.

E. A. Randlett of the real estate firm of Blanoy & Randlett, says:

"There is a deal of activity in the east end at the present time as the city there is considered choice. We are receiving many applications from non-residents, particularly those from San Francisco who came over here after the disaster and found that this is a good place to make their permanent homes. We have twenty one homes in different parts of the city now building. As soon as the weather is settled there will be pronounced activity in real estate transactions. Prices are firm."

New Homes

Among the homes that have just been completed are:

W. A. Branscheid, northeast corner Central avenue and Court street.

E. L. Bailey, bungalow at southeast corner of Santa Clara avenue and Fountain street.

Louis Buttner, Van Buren street near Fountain.

W. W. Haskell, Paru street near San Jose avenue.

Sylvester Merrill, Chestnut street near San Jose avenue.

T. C. Coughlin San Jose avenue near Chestnut street.

A bungalow has just been commenced for Ed Osborne on Clinton avenue near Grand street. The breaking of ground for the new home of H. Rosenthal on Van Buren avenue near Grove street will take place on Monday.

Recent Sales

Hammond & Hammond, the Park street real estate man, report that business during the past few weeks has been good. The improvements in various parts of the city all tend to show that the coming season will be one of the best that Alameda has experienced in many years. Sales made through this agency during the past week are:

School site of Taylor estate to the City of Alameda.

Buckley property on south side of Alameda avenue, west of Grand street, to Mathilda Schotzel, who is to erect a two-story colonial flat to cost $4500.

Improved property of Mrs. C. J. Lincoln on southeast corner of Encinal avenue and Post street to H. Pennock.

Property on Post street of W. Cary to H. Pennock.

Property of Alma Phillipi on Encinal avenue to Phillips.

The Smith property on Central avenue, west of Walnut street, has also changed hands.

Property of A. Dennis on Pacific avenue, west of Walnut, to C. Roth.

Improved property of Dr. Pond on Buena Vista avenue, west of Grand street, to Mr. Horton.

Improved property on Central avenue, west of Stanford, transfer Evans to Bergstrom.

Public Improvements

Street and park improvements by the city is meaning an increase in the value of property to all realty holders. This is steadily going on and while the weather has in some instances acted as a drawback along this line, the conditions are considered very favorable. Prices are assuming a normal status.

Home Buyers

So far as can be gained from the statements of real estate men, there are at present few easterners, or what may be termed outsiders, who are buying up lands for future homes. The appreciation of Alameda realty values of those who are seeking homes here by people around the bay has the first hold and attempts are being made to buy the choice locations of this residence city.

Plans are under way to locate a large ship chandlery here, but thus far they have proved unsecussesshrdlucmfwypm fact that the property first selected, along the estuary on Park street, is not large enough to accommodate such a plant as it is planned to erect.

Methodist Church

Workmen are fast completing the church at the corner of Oak and Central avenue. It will require some time to complete this structure owing to the elaborate fittings and requirements of the plans and specifications.

As a resume it may be stated that the realty conditions are extremely healthy and the rush from San Francisco, by those who have made their homes there for a time, for Alameda real estate is considered to be a good omen.

PETALUMA TO GET LOWER INSURANCE RATES

PETALUMA, March 6.—Insurance rates in Petaluma are to be reduced. The new rates show a decrease of from 25 to 33 1-3 per cent. They go into effect on December 21 next. The new rates were secured through the efforts of the Chamber of Commerce and Merchants' Association. These bodies took the matter up with the San Francisco Board of Underwriters, which resurveyed the city.

TRAIN TO BOOM SOIL INDUSTRY

To Make Special Trip Through San Bernardino and Imperial Valleys

LOS ANGELES, March 6.—The Southern Pacific announces the schedule of what is called a special agricultural and horticultural train, which will run from Los Angeles through the San Bernardino and Imperial valleys from March 10 to March 20, inclusive, under the auspices of the University of California, the State Horticultural Commission and the Southern Pacific Company. Stops are scheduled in all of the principal cities on the lines south and east of Los Angeles, in California, and addresses are to be delivered by speakers representing the university and the commission on the subject of methods to be in the value of agriculture, horticultural, livestock, dairying, poultry and kindred industries. More than fifty cities and towns are on the itinerary. Among the many speakers on the program is President Benjamin Ide Wheeler.

The mass meeting to have been held by the Citizen's party to discuss the issues of the present campaign, was postponed on account of the heavy rain last night. The meeting was to have been held in front of the City Hall.

PRESIDENT LEWIS TALKS WITH BAER

Head of Mine Workers Denies That John Mitchell Arranged For Meeting

WILKESBARRE, Pa., March 6.—President T. L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers made a remark this morning which may be significant as showing which way the wind is blowing the coal operators and miners. He was shown a copy of a paper which stated that his meeting with President Baer had been arranged by John Mitchell. With much warmth Lewis said:

"That is not so, and Mr. Mitchell will not confirm it. I did not see Mr. Mitchell. I went to Philadelphia a perfect stranger. I had never been in the city before. I registered at the Bingham and then went to the Reading terminal, presented my card and was at once ushered into Mr. Baer's private office. There was no introduction, and there was no previous correspondence."

Mitchell Not Asked

Lewis was shown a statement that Mitchell had been asked to act as official adviser of the mine workers in the negotiations with the operators. He denied this vigorously, saying that Mitchell had not been asked to serve in any such capacity, and that he would not be asked to do so.

There can be only one explanation of the above statement, namely, that if there is to be a satisfactory settlement to both sides, the chief officer of the Miners' Union wants some of the credit. The supposition is that if Lewis did not think he was going to come out of the conflict with honors he would not care who received the credit.

Visits Miners

The miners' chief went to Pittston, where he had a conference with J. L. Cake, who will represent the individual operators of the Wyoming and Lackawanna regions at the Philadelphia conference next Thursday. He then took a train for Hazelton, where he met the individual operators of that section. This evening he left for the West.

Just what will be the outcome of the meeting in Philadelphia next Thursday no one can say. A coal operator is authority for the statement that the big coal companies would not object to several months' suspension of mining now. The winter has been very dull. Unless there is quick industrial revival there is not likely to be a great demand for coal before early fall.

BOY SUES EMPORIUM FOR $500 DAMAGES

SAN FRANCISCO March 6.—Suit was begun today by the guardian of Lino de Cungi, a 12-year-old boy, against the Emporium for $500 damages. According to the complaint, the boy was sliding down the Tothill popular athletic slide at the Emporium when he fell off and broke his arm.

BARRED SOCIALLY, GETS A DIVORCE

Mrs. Blumenberg Says Husband's Business Led to Her Being Ostracized

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—Caroline R. Blumenberg, wife of Samuel L. Blumenberg, has brought suit for divorce on the ground of cruelty. The complaint was filed a few days ago by Attorney J. J. Dwyer, but the fact that the action had been brought did not become public until today.

Mrs. Blumenberg, who was Miss Caroline R. Parker, was married in 1889. She sets up in her complaint that her husband is a man of "depraved and dissolute habits," and is engaged in a business that has made him "notorious," and has caused her to be ostracized by good society.

Howled at Her

Mrs. Annie Nathhorst went home one day to find her husband behind the bed, disguised. When his wife entered the room, according to the complaint for divorce she filed yesterday, he began to yell and howl at her. Mrs. Nathhorst says her husband is insanely jealous and once took her by the ears and threatened to "shake some sense into her."

C. W. Bingham brought suit for divorce against Clara Bingham, naming Carl Carlson, a telegrapher, as one of the causes of the disruption of his home, and asserting that the defendant has at times been too friendly with Brown.

Afraid of His Wife

Judge Graham gave Thomas H. Reinhard a divorce from Mary L. Reinhard because he said he feared his wife would kill him. Reinhard testified she had made threats against his life and frequently carried a pistol. Once he found some strychnine in the house, and, fearing poisoning, left.

Clara O. Hilderbrandt has sued Oscar Hilderbrandt for divorce on the ground of desertion.

Judge Cabaniss gave Mrs. Anita Reichert a divorce from Philip P. Reichert on the ground of neglect.

MAIDEN AGAIN STARTS ON TRAMP

Seeks Adventure With Chum and Both Spend Two Days in Ukiah Jail

SANTA ROSA, March 6.—Not content with her exciting experience of several months ago when she and her sister were arrested in Healdsburg after running away from their home in Calpella, pretty seventeen-year-old Ida Hughes started out again in this week to see the world. She was accompanied by Rose Rich.

The girls reached the suburbs of Ukiah, and were camped in a copse near the convent grounds. Sheriff Donohoe went to the place and at his approach to their camp one of the girls is said to have flourished a small pistol.

They were detained in custody for a couple of days in Ukiah, then were allowed to go back home, profuse in their promises henceforth to lead the simple life.

DEAN & HUMPHREY'S

FURNITURE SALE NOW ON AT FULL BLAST

The pace grows faster as the sale goes on! With a leap and a bound we rush into the second week with greater values than ever. We propose to make this the greatest Furniture Sale ever held in this vicinity, and here are the prices that will do it. Every reduction is absolutely bonafide.

Tomorrow we offer among other things four hundred miscellaneous chairs and tables at 60c on the dollar, 1800 yards of carpet at about 35% reduction and a jobber's stock of rugs.

300 yards of regular 95c all-wool Ingrain Carpet, all design, to be sold for	75c yard
800 yards of regular $1.35 Brussels Carpet, all designs, to be sold for	95c yard
400 yards of regular $1.10 Brussels Carpet, all designs, to be sold for	95c yard
400 yards of regular 75c Fibre Carpet, all designs, to be sold for	50c yard
700 yards of regular 75c Kitchen Linoleum to be sold for	55c yard
550 yards of regular $1.35 Inlaid Linoleum to be sold for	$1.00 yard
(All above Carpets sewed, lined and laid at this price. Linoleum laid at this price.)	
Ten regular $32.50 Body Brussels Rugs, 9x12, to be sold for	$23.75 each
Fourteen regular $30.00 Axminster Rugs, 9x12, to be sold for	$21.75 each
Eighteen regular $22.50 Brussels Rugs, 9x12, to be sold for	$17.50 each
Twenty regular $12.00 Brussels Rugs, 9x11, to be sold for	$ 9.00 each
Seventeen regular $7.50 all-steel Sanitary Couches to be sold for	$ 5.00 each
Six regular $15.00 Tapestry Covered Couches to be sold for	$ 8.00 each
Twenty-five regular $20.00 Hair Mattresses, extra, to be sold for	$12.50 each
Two hundred regular $2.00 Feather Pillows to be sold for	$ 1.25 each
Three hundred regular $1.00 Feather Pillows to be sold for	65c each
One hundred and fifty pairs of regular $2.50 White Blankets to be sold for	$ 1.75 pair
Seven regular $5.00 Couch Covers to be sold for	$ 3.50 each
Three pairs of regular $6.50 Odd Curtains to be sold for	$ 3.00 pair
One pair of regular $8.50 Odd Curtains to be sold for	$ 4.25 pair
Five pairs of regular $7.00 Odd Curtains to be sold for	$ 3.00 pair
Three pairs of regular $2.25 Odd Curtains to be sold for	75c pair
Twenty-five pairs of regular $4.75 Bonne Femme Lace Curtains to be sold for	$ 3.50 pair
Thirty pairs of regular $7.00 Hand Lace Cluny Curtains to be sold for	$ 5.00 pair
Ten pairs of regular $9.00 Art Loom Portieres to be sold for	$ 6.00 pair
One thousand yards of regular 65c Fancy Nets to be sold for	40c yard
One regular $65.00 Folding Bed and China Closet, combined, to be sold for	$35.00
Three regular $35.00 Golden Oak Mirror-Back Folding Beds to be sold for	$24.00 each
Two regular $32.50 Golden Oak Carved Front Folding Beds to be sold for	$22.50 each
Three regular $20.00 Fumed Oak Arm Rockers, loose leather cushions, to be sold for	$13.50 each
Four regular $10.00 Fumed Oak Arm Rockers, leather upholstered, to be sold for	$ 6.80 each
Three regular $7.50 Weathered Oak Arm Rockers, leather upholstered, to be sold for	$ 4.50 each
One regular $30.00 Golden Oak Ladies' Secretary, leaded glass, to be sold for	$16.50
Twenty regular 75c Golden Oak Tabourettes, very neat, to be sold for	50c each
Three regular $45.00 Golden Oak Bookcases, double door, to be sold for	$29.00 each
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Eleven regular $4.50 Solid Oak Cobbler Seat Rockers to be sold for	$ 3.00 each
Six regular $40.00 all-leather Sleepy Hollow Rockers, oak frame, to be sold for	$27.50 each
One regular $27.00 Weathered Oak Library Table, with book shelves, to be sold for	$18.50 each
Two regular $12.50 Weathered Oak Service Serving Tables, three shelves, to be sold for	$ 8.00 each
Three regular $20.00 quaint Fumed Oak Desk Tables to be sold for	$15.00 each
One regular $77.50 Weathered Oak Spanish Leather Davenport to be sold for	$37.50 each
One regular $35.00 Early English Hall Seat, very swell, to be sold for	$22.50 each
Two regular $16.50 Ladies' Mahogany Desks, exceedingly fine, to be sold for	$12.50 each
Four regular $15.00 Ladies' quarter-sawed Golden Oak Desks to be sold for	$10.50 each
Four regular $17.50 Mahogany Parlor Tables, Colonial style, to be sold for	$12.00 each
One regular $100.00 solid crotch Mahogany Colonial Library Table to be sold for	$66.00 each
One regular $150.00 solid hand-carved Mahogany Davenport to be sold for	$90.00 each
One regular $45.00 mahogany finished Divan to be sold for	$27.50 each
One regular $22.50 Maple Dresser, beveled mirror, to be sold for	$16.50 each
Three regular $13.50 round Dining Tables, 6-foot extension, to be sold for	$10.00 each
Four regular $12.50 square Dining Tables, 6-foot extension, to be sold for	$ 8.00 each
Four regular $18.00 round Dining Tables, pedestal style, to be sold for	$14.50 each
Three regular $17.50 Mahogany Settees, velour upholstered, to be sold for	$10.00 each
One regular $45.00 Mahogany Settee, velour upholstered, to be sold for	$25.00 each
Two regular $35.00 Mahogany Settees, velour upholstered, to be sold for	$22.50 each
Three regular $18.00 Arm Parlor Chairs, velour upholstered, to be sold for	$10.75 each
Four regular $7.50 Arm Parlor Chairs, velour upholstered, to be sold for	$ 4.00 each
Two regular $5.00 Parlor Chairs, velour upholstered, to be sold for	$ 2.50 each
One regular $70.00 three-piece Parlor Set, loose silk plush, to be sold for	$50.00 each
One regular $85.00 three-piece Parlor Set, carved heads, extra, to be sold for	$57.50 each
Four regular $60.00 Golden Oak China Closets, bent glass, to be sold for	$40.00 each
Three regular $32.50 Golden Oak China Closets, bent glass, to be sold for	$22.50 each
Three regular $10.00 Weathered Oak Hanging Hall Mirror Racks to be sold for	$ 7.50 each
Five regular $14.00 Weathered Oak Hanging Hall Mirror Racks to be sold for	$10.00 each
One regular $75.00 three-piece Parlor Set, carved lion's head, mahogany, to be sold for	$57.50 each
Four regular $12.00 Mahogany Reception or Desk Chairs, Colonial to be sold for	$ 8.00 each
Two regular $100.00 beautiful Circassian Walnut Dressers, exquisite to be sold for	$72.50 each
Two regular $85.00 Circassian Chiffoniers, to match Dressers, to be sold for	$60.00 each
Two regular $7.00 Circassian Walnut Chairs, to match set, to be sold for	$ 5.50 each
Two regular $8.00 Circassian Walnut Rockers, to match set, to be sold for	$ 6.50 each
Three regular $40.00 Circassian Dressers, beautifully grained, to be sold for	$30.00 each
Three regular $55.00 Circassian Walnut Dressers, very fine, to be sold for	$36.00 each
Two regular $50.00 Circassian Walnut Chiffoniers, to match above, to be sold for	$32.50 each

(We call particular attention to the above Circassian Walnut pieces.)

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If you don't see what you want in this advertisement, don't think we haven't it. Space prohibits us from listing everything. These items are only a very small proportion of the articles reduced.

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A Very Great Embroidery Sale Tomorrow

37½c For 75c Embroidered Flouncings
For 85c Embroidered Flouncings
For $1.00 Embroidered Flouncings

See Washington Street Window Display

$1.00 All-Over Embroideries for
$1.50 All-Over Embroideries for
$1.75 All-Over Embroideries for **50c**

WISH we could pin samples of these All-Overs and Flouncings to this announcement. No other advertisement would be necessary. The department would fairly hum with the pleasing hum and hurly-burly of rapid selling until every yard was gone. There isn't a woman in the county who loves pretty embroideries that would be able to resist the temptation to buy yards and yards. In all our experience we never offered equal values—and we certainly have many very extraordinary bargains to our credit. Our Embroidery Sales always cause a tremendous sensation.

The Flouncings are embroidered on snowy swisses and nainsooks, and measure 18 inches in width. The patterns are all new and very attractive. You couldn't possibly find prettier designs for corset covers, underwear and children's dresses even at regular prices—75c to $1.00 a yard. Yet these beautiful flouncings will all be on sale here tomorrow at 37½c—a price that enables you to buy two and sometimes almost four yards for the usual cost of one.

The All-Overs are 24 inches wide, and come in a vast variety of uncommonly handsome designs for those popular little chemisettes—yokes—waists—and other all-over uses. If bought in the regular way we would have to sell them at prices ranging from $1.00 to $1.50 a yard. But because he had so few pieces of each pattern the importer parted with them at a loss, and tomorrow you can choose from them all at 50c. Did you ever dream it would be possible to secure such bargains? Of course, prompt comers will have an advantage in the choice of designs. Wonder who will get here first.

Millinery Opening Next Thursday, Friday, Saturday---March 11th, 12th, 13th

Three of the New Ideas in Dresses and Suits for Spring

Stunning Spring Suits

Almost Every Overland Train That Came Rushing Into Oakland Last Week Brought Something New to Enrich Our Display

THOSE who love the new and beautiful in dress are cordially invited to visit our Suit Department—tomorrow, if convenient. They will find much to interest them. The new suits are more attractive than those of other seasons. Perhaps the new styles may be best described as a blending of those worn by the beautiful women of the Directoire, Empire and Mediaeval periods. The slender figure outline of last season has lost none of its popularity. All noticeable curves and roundness of form are eliminated to the greatest possible degree. The extreme features of the Directoire fashions have been carefully omitted and the new styles are not only pleasing to the eye, but artistic—graceful—practical. The two and three-piece suits will be equally popular. Coats are cut quite long this spring, as it is found that the longer garment emphasizes the long line effect. Some of the coats have a cutaway front, which reveals the beauty of the high cut skirt beneath. Fabrics—both in wool and silk—are rich and beautiful. The suits—but come and see them. Your eyes will tell you more in a minute than we could with a page of description. Prices? Always fair—generally lowest—invariably satisfactory.

$16.50 **$20.00** **$25.00** **$30.00** **$35.00** **$45.00** **$65.00**

News of Stylish Silks

88c for All Silk Pongee 36 INCHES WIDE—WORTH $1.25 A YARD

All Silk Pongee for 50c EXCELLENT QUALITY—WORTH 75c A YARD

Fancy Silks—for Costumes and Waists—Splendid Values—$1.00 per yd

Messaline Silks—All the Wanted Shades—75c, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75

Tomorrow---A Grand Introductory Sale of

The New Vienna Foulards

See Display in Our Washington Street Windows

VIENNA FOULARDS are entirely new. Nothing prettier for an afternoon frock for summer days was ever loomed. They are lustrous, silky, serviceable fabrics, printed in genuine French designs and further beautified with embroidered silk dots. The odd, beautiful patterns are printed in the following lovely new shades and standard colors—old rose, mulberry, raspberry, electric blue, gobelin blue, navy, reseda, taupe, silver-brown, heliotrope and black. Vienna Foulards are even handsomer, and will wear better, than the high cost imported goods. 27 inches wide. Our special introductory price of 39c should make it well worth your while to buy your dresses for next summer now.

39c **39c**

Fabrics for Women's Frocks

THE Dress Goods business of Oakland centers at Kahns'. Why? Because of the vast assortments carried—because the most dependable fabrics in the newest weaves and most fashionable colorings are to be found here—because our prices are always conspicuously reasonable, and sometimes very special.

This season's stuffs are more beautiful than any the textile world has produced before. Satin finished goods are much favored, as they are soft and particularly adapted to the prevailing clinging styles. Stripes are also featured extensively, especially in the self and shadow effects. There is quite a variety of shadow checks and, of course, the plain weaves are as desirable as ever. The following list will give you a fair idea of the goods that will be most widely worn by the smartest dressers at home and abroad this season:

SATIN PRUNELLA—in all the new shades
FANCY PRUNELLA—in all the new shades
SATIN SERGE—in all the new shades
FANCY SERGE—in all the new shades
All **$1.00**

SATIN TAFFETA—in all the new shades
PRINCESS CLOTH—in all the new shades
TAILOR SUITING—in all the new shades
IRISH POPLIN—in all the new shades
All **$1.00**

Pastel Broadcloth $2.50 and $2.75 per yard—Pastel Serges $2.00 per yard—Queen's Own Poplin $2.00 per yard. Full line of colors in every fabric.

Sale of Lace Curtain Corners

Some at 50c
Some at 75c

These Corners are from Curtains worth $5.00 to $7.00 a Pair.

A SMALL but very choice lot. Some are all bobinette—others are in flat braided effects, 1½ and 1¾ long. Fine for odd windows and odd places. In the lot at 50c we have only one and two corners of a pattern—Among the corners at 75c are many designs of which we have four of a kind. Prompt comers will most likely fare best. In all our previous Sales of Lace Curtain Corners the goods have been snapped up in a jiffy.

Samples of Handsome Tapestry Satin Damasks, 75c, $1, $1.50, $2 each

These samples are in either 1 or 1½ yard lengths. If bought from the piece the goods would cost you $2.00, $3.00 or $4.00 a yard. Just the thing for pillow tops, chair seats and chair backs. It's a splendid opportunity to pick up bargains.

$3 Skirts $1.98

EXTRAORDINARY? You'll think it even more so when you see the skirts. It's a really phenomenal opportunity. The skirts are the best bargains we ever had at this season of the year. They are made of excellent materials and handsomely trimmed. Buy liberally. You'll save more than a dollar on every skirt you purchase. Here are brief descriptions of the four styles:

Style 1—Has nine rows of Val. lace insertion alternating with bands of lawn to form a full, deep flounce. The hem of the flounce is finished with a Val. edge that matches the insertion. The best and prettiest $3 skirts imaginable. Sale price **$1.98**

Style 2—Has a deep flounce of lawn and lace cut in Van Dyke points, and trimmed with edging and insertion to give a fluffy, billowy effect about the feet. This style has a trimmed under flounce. Worth $3.00. Sale price **$1.98**

Style 3—Is made with a twelve-inch flounce of handsome embroidery, which is finished at the top with fancy beading and ribbon. These beautiful skirts would sell quickly at $3.00 each. You can buy them tomorrow at **$1.98**

Style 4—Has a sixteen-inch flounce of fine embroidery, in several very attractive patterns. The skirts are made in a splendid manner, from excellent cambric, and would find eager buyers even at $3.00. Sale price **$1.98**

See the Window Display of these Skirts

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For which we are sole agents in Alameda county is now being demonstrated by an expert corsetiere. We have them in all the new shapes—and will be pleased to fit you if you want to buy or not—just to show you all the good points of this corset. All this week.

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Oakland Tribune.

With the Plays and Players

MARY MANNERING COMING TO OAKLAND

ADELE RAFTER WITH KOLB AND DILL AT THE MACDONOUGH

KRISTEN MARIETTAS AT THE BELL

FRITZIE GUY AT NOVELTY

MISS LILLIAN ELLIOT AT YE LIBERTY

DOROTHY DE SHELLE AND FRANK NELSON IN "THIRTY DOLLARS" AT THE ORPHEUM

LANDERS STEVENS BACK, SINGS OAKLAND'S PRAISES

Sees Best of Plays While in New York

Mr. and Mrs. Landers Stevens are back in the city after a couple of weeks' vacation spent in New York. Mr. Stevens and his wife will resume their work at Ye Liberty Theater next Monday. They have had a very pleasant trip and return much refreshed. Mr. Stevens is an old Oakland theatrical favorite and his friends will be pleased to hear of his return. In speaking of his trip East Mr. Stevens said:

"I have taken the opportunity in the sixteen days spent in New York to try and see everything that was theatrically worth seeing, which necessitated attending the theatres afternoons and evening. This was not the easiest thing in the world to do, because the performances were entirely sold out at all the Broadway and down-town theaters from three to six weeks in advance, but by seeing managers or actors in person, and letting them know how limited was our stay, and how desirous we were of seeing what they had to offer, we were enabled to see the much-talked of Harry Lauder, considered the greatest star in vaudeville who, not saying it mildly, is not over-rated. We saw our own little Frances Starr, who is considered the greatest attraction in New York, in her much-talked-of and criticized play, "The Easiest Way." We thoroughly agree with Mr. Belasco that it is by far the most vital drama the American stage has seen in many years.

"We also saw Miss Blanche Bates, another San Francisco girl at the Belasco Theater in "The Fighting Hope," which is now playing in its sixth month.

Oza Waldrop a Big Hit

"We visited Maxine Elliott's gorgeous new theater, and had the pleasure of seeing her in her new play, "The Chaperone," and still had the greater pleasure in finding that Oza Waldrop, another California girl and former Oakland favorite, was one of the big hits.

"Among the other attractions that impressed us favorably were Maud Adams in "What Every Woman Knows," Eleanor Robson in "The Dawn of a Tomorrow," James Powers in "In Havana;" and "The Traveling Salesman," at the Gaiety Theater.

"While visiting all the vaudeville theaters we found that the performances given in them were far from sanitary, in fact, so vulgar, that they would never be tolerated by a California management or audience. But the New York people seem very favorably impressed by this form of entertainment, because to secure tickets one had to purchase them from speculators at double price.

See Mary Garden Too

"At Hammerstein's Opera House we saw the much-talked Salome dance with Mary Gardner in the title role, and while she gives one only a mild dose of the dance it was enough to convince one that the play, opera or dance should have no place on the American stage. The New York press, in almost its entirety, is today making a terrific fight to compel the New York managers to give the people clean, wholesome amusement, and is furnishing columns of free advertising to these theaters that do furnish this form of entertainment.

"But Salome is a Sunday-school dance compared with the dance that is being used at the Circle Theater, in "The Queen of the Moulin Rouge." In fact, this dance would make the habitants of the old Kearney-street dives in San Francisco blush with shame. However, this is a form of entertainment that the New Yorkers seem to want and are willing to pay highly for, while many of the good, clean forms of entertainment are allowed to play to empty benches.

Hippodrome a Treat

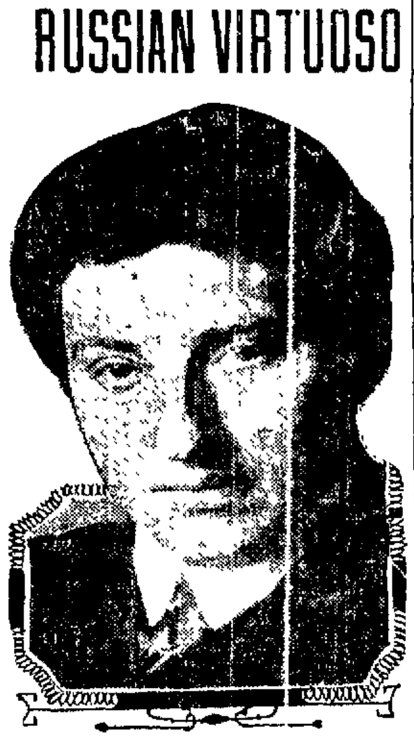
"But, I am almost forgetting the biggest treat of all, the Hippodrome, though it would take a descriptive writer to try and convey our impression of this marvelous entertainment. Suffice it to say, that it's worth one trip to New York simply to visit this wonderful playhouse.

"Speaking of playhouses outside of the Hippodrome, I saw nothing in New York that could in any way compare with Oakland's own Ye Liberty Playhouse, or with Mr. Bishop's revolving stage. I am not saying this because I am playing at Mr. Bishop's theater, but because it is a fact, and all Oaklanders who have visited New York, and seen the best theaters that they have to offer, will agree with me. In fact, with the exception of the cold grasp and the glassy stare, I can't see where the New Yorkers have it on us Oaklanders at all. We had intended, of course, to bring a few of the newer ideas of the New York haberdashers and tailors to wear on our opening, but found that in price and style there was absolutely no difference between New York and Oakland. The spring styles that are being displayed in New York on our departure are today on display in the Oakland shops. Moral: Keep your money in Oakland."

Will Open Monday

Landers Stevens and his wife, Georgie Cooper, are to open Monday night at Ye Liberty Theater in James K. Hackett's success, "The Walls of Jericho." The play has been one of the greatest dramatic successes in this country and abroad. Mr. Bishop has provided a sumptuous production for the return of his two favorite players, and in fact, Oakland's favorite players, and their many friends are planning to give them the same hearty reception on their opening night as they have always received when returning to Oakland.

CONCERT BY A RUSSIAN VIRTUOSO



JOSEF LHEVINNE, Pianist.

Josef Lhevinne at Ye Liberty Theater Next Friday Afternoon

The next in the list of great musical artists that Managers Will Greenbaum and H. W. Bishop will present to our music lovers is Josef Lhevinne, a young Russian virtuoso, who is hailed by the critics both in this country and abroad as the successor to Rubinstein. He plays with all the dash and brilliancy of the great Anton, and technical difficulties do not exist for him. Besides, he possesses the power of making the piano sing, and his interpretations are said to be a delight to both head and heart.

This concert will be given next Friday afternoon, March 12, at Ye Liberty Playhouse, at half-past 3, and an exceptional program is offered. It is quite different from any of his San Francisco offerings, being made up of gems from the three to be played there and some additional numbers not on any other Lhevinne program.

Here is the complete offering:

I

(a) Chaconne .... Bach-Busoni
(b) Sonate—F minor .... Scarlatti-Tausig
(c) Pastorale varie .... Mozart
(d) Momento Capriccioso .... Weber

II

Carneval .... Schumann
Preambule, Pierrot, Arlequin, Valse Noble, Eusebius, Florestan, Coquette, Replique, Papillons, Lettres Dansantes, Chiarina, Chopin, Estrella, Reconnaissance, Pantalon et Colombine, Valse Allemande, Paganini, Aveu, Promenade, Pause, Marche des "Davidsbundler" contre les Philistines.
(a) Nocturne G major .... Chopin
(b) Mazurka, Op. 56 No. 1 .... Chopin
(c) Study B minor, Op. 25 .... Chopin
(d) Scherzo .... d'Albert
(e) Blue Danube .... Schulz-Evler

AT THE THEATERS

Bills for the Week at the Various Theaters

MACDONOUGH THEATER--Kolb & Dill in "Playing the Ponies."
ORPHEUM--Advanced Vaudeville with Daily Matinee.
BELL THEATER--Select Vaudeville and Motion Pictures--3 Shows Daily--3.
NOVELTY THEATER--James Post and "Buty Korus" in "Two of a Kind." Big Musical Comedy.
YE LIBERTY PLAYHOUSE--Beginning Monday night, Bishop's Players in "The Walls of Jericho."

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BANQUET USHERS IN BOOSTING ERA

Every Organization in City to Work Together for City's Welfare

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—Marking the probable beginning of an era of "boosting" and harmonious effect calculated to do unmeasurable good in the promotion of San Francisco, a banquet, to be attended by a somewhat unusual gathering, will be held at the St. Francis Hotel on the night of March 25.

For the first time in the city's history there will be brought together the presidents and authorized representatives of every commercial, fraternal and civic organization in San Francisco, and as a unique finishing touch to such a representative assemblage there will be present also the thirty-six foreign consuls residing here.

Mayor's Interest Aroused

The idea of the banquet was born in the brains of several prominent citizens, who realize that the city's various organizations, with much the same end in view are often influenced by petty jealousies and work at cross-purposes.

The interest of Mayor Taylor was aroused, and he is taking an active interest in the arrangements for the banquet. Having in mind the necessity for unity of action by all citizens in order to make the great Portala Festival of October a success, the Mayor has asked the Portala executive committee to use its efforts in the various business channels to aid in getting the guests together.

The Mayor also is preparing a letter, which will be framed in the language of a command for each organization to have its representative at the banquet.

150 Expected to Attend

Indications are that there will be not less than 150 men gathered about the banquet board. The big colonial ballroom of the St. Francis has been engaged as a banquet hall.

"We have but to look to other cities to realize what has been accomplished by co-operation among the merchants and business men," said a prominent San Franciscan yesterday. "Perhaps just as much money has been spent in San Francisco as in other cities in advertising our resources to the world, but it has been spent through a hundred or more different channels, and we must all confess that San Francisco has been poorly advertised.

"If we can but bring about the proper spirit of co-operation, if we can unite our forces, there is no end to the good we can accomplish. I believe the citizens in general are anxious to forget all differences of the past and work together for the city's betterment."

$200,000 ASKED IN SUIT OVER FORMULA

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—Suit for $200,000 damages, brought by E. A. Munns Product Company against the Muralo Company, for the infringement of rights in secret formula for the manufacture of paints and kalsomines, was filed by Attorney Purcell Rowe today. An order temporarily restraining the defendant from selling the paints and kalsomines in the disputed territory was issued by Presiding Judge Cabaniss, before whom the matter will be threshed out March 12.

According to the complaint, Ernest A. Munns bought from the defendant the right to manufacture the paints and kalsomines made by a secret formula, for sale in various States, and organized the plaintiff company for the exploitation of the paints.

The plaintiff complains that the defendant has invaded its territory with the secret formula of kalsomines and has undersold it in an attempt to injure its business.

WANT RETRIAL ON INSURANCE SUITS

Attorney for Companies in 80 Actions Declare Decisions Contrary to Law

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—T. C. Van Ness, the attorney for the insurance companies, today filed notice for new trials in the eighty suits in which Judge Van Fleet gave judgments on February 2d. The cases were all submitted on a statement of Van Ness in which he said he could prove and was willing to produce evidence showing that the different fires were caused by the earthquake.

Court Ruling Against Them

Under the ruling of the Circuit Court of Appeals and the Supreme Court of the United States, the insurance companies could not maintain a defense where the fire which destroyed the building was an earthquake one unless it was shown that it started within the property insured.

Petition for New Trial

The petition filed yesterday for a new trial claims that there were irregularities in the proceedings by which the defendant was prevented from having a fair trial and that the decision of the court was against the law.

Charge Court With Error

It also is claimed that the court refused to allow the defendant to introduce evidence to prove the facts set forth in the statements of counsel for the defendants. It is charged that the court erred in giving judgment on the opening statement of counsel without hearing evidence.

The cases will be placed on the calendar for March 16th and will be heard by Judge Van Fleet on his return from the East.

JUDGE SAYS 'ALL SHOT TO PIECES' SOUNDS GOOD

CHICAGO, March 6.—After hearing considerable argument by counsel, Municipal Judge Crowe has decided that "shot to pieces," as applied to some automobiles, is a perfectly good term. In a suit before him yesterday, a salesman testified that a certain automobile was "all shot to pieces" before it entered a warehouse.

"I object to that term," said an attorney, and then came the prolonged discussion.

"Is that term, 'shot to pieces,' used by automobile men?" Judge Crowe asked.

"Yes, sir; it is a common expression."

"If that is so I will have to admit the phrase into the evidence," ruled the Court, "although the term is not exactly a good one from a legal standpoint."

ST. ANDREW'S PARISH TO HONOR ST. PATRICK

A grand entertainment and social in honor of St. Patrick's Day will be given by the parishioners of St. Andrew's Church, North Oakland, Thursday evening, March 18, at I. D. E. S. Hall, 257 Hollis street. Every number on the program will be of the very best and a crowded house is anticipated. The committee in charge is as follows:

J. A. Kennedy, P. Cavanaugh, Dan Sullivan, W. Kenny, J. Kenny, A. Graves, M. Silva, B. Murphy, V. Sexton, B. Hogan, G. Zieslon and J. Hahn.

COFFEY ALLOWED TO VISIT HIS FAMILY

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—Michael W. Coffey, convicted of accepting a bribe for the passage of the overhead trolley franchise, was permitted to go under guard, to his home today to secure some clothing. Attorney Franklin P. Bull made the application to Judge Cabaniss to permit Coffey to leave the county jail.

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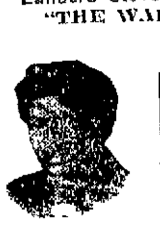

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Helen Lackaye, Oakland's Newest Theatrical Acquisition, Talks Shop With Betty Martin

Was Married in This City

By BETTY MARTIN

HELEN LACKAYE has joined the ranks of Ye Liberty stock company, and a greater contrast, both in physique and coloring, could not well be afforded than exists between herself and Isabelle Fletcher. For Miss Lackaye is a ruddy blonde, with hair of lightest brown, blue-eyed, full-voiced, vivacious of manner, and with a tendency towards smiling. She is rather large of build and gives one the impression of knowing her world. She is given to wearing blue, which color scheme is carried out even to her jewelry. The morning I talked with her she was gowned in a tailor-made, and wore at her throat an immense double pendant of turquoise matrix, while guarding the golden circlet on the third finger of her left hand was a ring with a large stone of similar formation. She made her debut last Monday evening in "The Prince of Liars," but abominates the part she was cast for in that well-known and rather antiquated farce-comedy. Her nose went up in the air when she mentioned "that old Arabian Nights' piece," but her lips curved in smiling good humor at the same time—a circumstance which made all the difference in the world for if, when her nose was uptilted, her mouth had gone down at the corners instead of upward in funny little lines expressive of mingled mirth and good-natured disdain—the effect might have been otherwise. Even as it was, I felt constrained to take the under dog's part by sayings

"Really, it wasn't so bad—George Friend was very fair as the lead—"

"Oh, I know," tossed back Miss Lackaye with a wave of her hand "but—"

"I suppose," persisted I, "the state of one's mind has much to do with the enjoyment or non-enjoyment of a play, anyway. Now, to tell the truth, I really enjoyed 'The Prince of Liars.' It was a decided change from anything we've had in Oakland lately. The so-called 'musical comedies' they send out here from New York are painful to witness. I wonder what the managers take us for, anyway, when they presume to send organizations here with neither talent, voices nor beauty to commend them!"

ABOUT SOME OF THE ROAD COMPANIES

Miss Lackaye agreed in thinking this unpardonable, adding that road companies frequently boasted not a single member of the original cast, nor, indeed, any one at all known to fame. "Take 'Babes in Toyland,'" she exampled. "That piece had a wonderful run in New York. It was beautifully produced. I went to see it several times and the other day crossed over to San Francisco to attend a performance. And when I heard that Arithmetic song—oh, my! There was the 'Red Mill,' too, another Eastern success. I went behind the scenes to look at the mechanism of the mill, and from that standpoint was interested But the performance—" again the upraised hand spoke more eloquently than words, and I took occasion to say that I had not witnessed a performance of that much-advertised play, nor would I under any circumstances have gone to San Francisco to see it for the sole reason that the management had placarded this town with the announcement in glaring type to this effect:

"The Red Mill Does Not Play Oakland!" It looked too much like a boycott to suit me, I concluded, and wild horses couldn't have dragged me to their show.

PLAYED TO ALMOST EMPTY HOUSES

"On the other hand," philosophized Miss Lackaye, "some splendid organizations with the original New York cast, almost in its entirety, have come to San Francisco and Oakland and played to almost empty houses. But on that point, as I was saying to a friend the other day, the people can't be blamed so much. They see so many poor shows that possibly they don't go for fear of being bitten. There was Gene Walters' play—wasn't it Belasco, who opined, in this same connection, that the reason why some of the New York successes are failures on this coast is because we of the West are nearer to nature, therefore saner of judgment, clearer visioned than the people who view from the standpoint of a more complicated social fabric? Then, too, there are the advanced men to contend with. If they would only be more truthful—"

ABOUT "THE DEVIL" AND EDWIN STEVENS

This unfinished sentence gave Miss Lackaye an opening to discuss certain errors of judgment. One, in particular, she told in detail. It concerned that much-abused play, "The Devil" with Stevens—our own Edwin—in the title role. The company had gone to Washington, D. C., from their record-breaking New York engagement, and opened to a crowded house, with most of the seats engaged ahead for the week. "You know there are some people," Miss Lackaye observed, "who are afraid that if they don't pick flaws people will say they aren't critics. Well, the Washington critics didn't agree with those of New York. They made adverse comments on the play itself, and on the way it was acted. The consequence was that more than a hundred seats which had been engaged for that evening were cancelled. And so it was the next night. Towards the end of the week business picked up again, because the people who had attended told their friends that it was a good show, but it was too late then!"

Miss Lackaye was not recounting idle gossip when she told this story, but spoke from inside knowledge, for she is—and it pains me to shatter masculine dreams in making this announcement—wife of the wellknown theatrical man, Harry Ridings. Mr. Ridings is at present managing "The Merry Widow" company, booked for this coast during July and August. I have Helen Lackaye's word for it that this organization is A1, that with it are beautifully trained singers and a traveling orchestra of twenty-five, which is augmented at every performance by local musicians trained to the task weeks in advance of the company's arrival According to this same authority, seats, at every city, are engaged far ahead of time, a fact that proves to my mind that the people know a good thing. Henry Savage showed that to be so when he sent "Madame Butterfly" on the road.

THIRD MEMBER OF FAMILY ON STAGE

Helen Lackaye, who is a sister of Wilton Lackaye, the actor, who starred here recently in a Manxman play, is the third member of her family to enter the theatrical profession, her brother James having been the second. She was educated at the Holy Cross convent in Washington, staying there for fourteen years. A short interval she went upon the stage and her first tour brought her to Oakland. That was over four years ago, when Amelia Bingham was here in repertoire, with Wilton Lackaye as leading man.

"It was very pleasant," declared Miss Lackaye, "traveling in the same company with my brother. And Amelia Bingham is a wonderful woman; I like her very much"

So much for Helen Lackaye's first trip, which was not fraught with so much importance as the second, occuring directly after the fire.

"This time I was with the 'Heir to the Hurrah Company.' I played the part of Kate Brandon, and"—her face, wreathed in smiles, she finished by saying—"I was married here in Oakland."

HELEN LACKAYE.

"Really? And who performed the ceremony?"

WAS MARRIED HERE BY JUDGE SAMUELS

"Judge Samuels" came the answer, "at eleven o'clock one morning in December."

It then transpired that the engagement had been a short one, lasting only two months, but that the wedding had been hastened by certain circumstances. Originally, it was the expectation to have a church wedding at Portland, Oregon, but Miss Lackaye is a Roman Catholic, whereas Mr Ridings professes to the Episcopal faith. This, however, he was willing to renounce for the religion of his bride-to-be had not other laws of the church made a religious ceremony impossible

"I tried in every way," stated Miss Lackaye, "to have a special dispensation granted, but the Archbishop told me it was impossible, so we were married by a justice. I go to church regularly every Sunday morning," observed Miss Lackaye, "but am debarred from confessional"

STORY ABOUT USE OF MAIDEN NAME

And concerning the use of her maiden name, she told another story, at second hand, for the events related occurred to "brother Wilton" who, it seems, had somewhere in the outskirts of Philadelphia, an acquaintance who also professed to be a believer in the doctrine of free love. To Wilton Lackaye he introduced a woman as "Miss M—, my wife."

"How's this," questioned Wilton, when the opportunity presented itself. "You introduced your wife to me as Miss M—. I don't understand."

Then came the explanation that the couple did not believe in having a marriage ceremony performed. They simply loved one another, that was all. And when love no longer endured it was the intention to part. It transpired also that there was a young child.

SOMETHING ABOUT TRIAL MARRIAGES

"Wilton," related his sister, "expressed the opinion that something was wrong with people who declared for that sort of thing. Years later he saw the acquaintance again and asked, 'How's your wife?'" at which there was some hemming and hawing, together with the statement: "The fact is, we're separated. She's in Europe with the child"—now fifteen years of age and nameless—"and I'm going to get married."

"But I thought you didn't believe in marriage?"

"Neither do I, but my intended won't listen to anything else."

"I said you weren't straight," retorted Wilton Lackaye. "You left the first woman because you tired of her and now you're marrying the second, a girl of twenty, because she won't agree to other conditions."

And Helen Lackaye, who intends to retain her maiden name for stage work, expressed herself forcibly regarding people who showed disregard of social customs.

This is the first time since her marriage that she has been separated from Mr. Ridings. "And it will never happen again," she averred. "Either I will retire from the profession or we will always accept engagements in the same company."

"But if you're ambitious—"

"Oh, but I'm not ambitious," declared she, in a manner which brought to mind the proverbial "No" of a woman.

BETTY MARTIN.

Reasons Why the Western Theater Goer Is Harder to Please Than Those Of the East

PLAYS AND PLAYERS FOR THE WEEK IN OAKLAND

MACDONOUGH.

Kolb and Dill, the German dialect comedians, who have completed a six months' engagement in San Francisco, will be seen in this city at the Macdonough Theater for an engagement covering a period of several weeks, in their latest musical comedy successes.

During the past few years these comedians have forged to the front with meteoric speed and are today considered to be the greatest pair of German actors appearing in musical comedy roles One reason for their wonderful success is that they always surround themselves with a high class supporting company and a chorus that compares favorably in every respect with the standard New York productions.

"Playing the Ponies," unlike most musical comedies, has a well sustained plot and interest is kept up in the working out of the same until the final curtain falls on a picturesque and magnificent ensemble. The play deals with the attempt of two green Germans to get rich quick at the racetrack, and Kolb and Dill manage to extract more than a laugh a minute during the time that they are in the spot-light.

The music is very tuneful and well put together, with quite a number of catchy song-hits, the most prominent of which are "Easy Money," "Dreamland," "Telephone Me Dearie," and "Something Seems to Say You Love Me"

The stars are supported by such well known players as Adele Rafter, one of the most beautiful prima donnas on the American stage, who is also gifted with a rich voice and a fine stage presence, Percy V Bronson, George A Wright, Albert E. Duncan, Sidney DeGray, Harris McGuire, Blossom Seeley and Hazel Boyne. There will be a matinee this afternoon

ORPHEUM

"At the Sound of the Gong" has been the big sensation at the Oakland Orpheum during the last week, where the crowds have witnessed the unique spectacle of a prize ring exhibition at the climax of a strong dramatic sketch.

Big and brilliant shows are the rule at the Oakland Orpheum, as everybody knows, but the novelties are being piled so high these days that all records for spectacular programs are smashed, as the weeks roll around. The crowds find delight in the succession of splendid acts and the great business the Oakland Orpheum does is fast becoming one of the wonders of the local theatrical world. The secret of it, as the public has found, is the presentation of magnificent vaudeville—the finest in Europe—on a modern stage and in a beautiful theater, where every device is employed to insure high-class stage offerings and the absolute comfort and safety of patrons. It is a typical Orpheum vaudeville program that is to go on next Sunday afternoon when new acts will appear on the stage to dazzle and entrance vaudeville devotees with their brilliance.

This afternoon the new show for the week goes on and it will include this "Sound of the Gong" act, besides a number of European and American novelties calculated to keep the theater packed to the doors night and day.

Frank Nelson and Company will present a one-act classic by Sewell Collins, the well-known artist, called "Thirty Dollars." This rather remarkable playlet opened recently in New York and the dramatic critics were high in their praise of Mr. Nelson's delicate and finished work in the part of "Philip," a young wayward chap who is a race track devotee. The part is one which fits Mr Nelson exceptionally well and Mr. Collins has constructed a really complete, intense and ambitious little play that holds an audience's attention from start to finish. Nelson is one of the most versatile character comedians in America with a long list of artistic achievements to his credit in such plays as "The Virginian," "The Ranger," "Way Down East," "Friends," "Glorianna" and "Regeneration," in all of which his fine characterizations were distinct and striking features

Jwan Tschernoff's unique Circus Troupe, which includes four beautiful ponies, two dozen or more prize dogs and a flock of pigeons, will form really an important feature of next week's bill From a standpoint of beauty, as well as skill, Mr. Tschernoff's animals are remarkable specimens and represent the acme of mute intelligence. He is considered a marvelous trainer and his methods have been highly applauded by the numerous European humane societies, for never once does he use a whip and his performance is a plendid instance of what can be accomplished through patience and kindness An interesting incident of this act is the almost human musical pony "Hans," who immediately establishes himself as a big favorite with the children.

Goldsmith and Hoppe, a very entertaining and versatile couple, will be included in next week's Orpheum program. Their singing and dancing are capital and their monologues are new and diverting Both are good vocalists which never fails to score a popular hit.

Nonette is the name of a sweet young musician who was formerly the special feature with "The Hussar Girls," and who comes with a pleasing musical offering in which she introduces violin playing and singing To add to the attractiveness of her appearance, Nonette dresses in a picturesque Bohemian gown, which gives the effect of a gypsy street musician. For her selections she uses a variety of numbers, both classical and popular, closing with a medley of familiar standard airs, patriotic and national, which she has arranged cleverly herself.

Imor Fox, the clever conjurer, will show new illusions during his performance next week.

The Amoros Sisters, Parisian novelty artists, and Tony Wilson and Mlle. Heloise, will be other attractions.

BELL

A splendid vaudeville bill has been booked by Manager Cohn of the Bell Theater for the week commencing with the matinee today. The feature act will be Luken's seven ferocious African lions, the greatest wild animal act in vaudeville. These animals are beautiful specimens of their type and no better or more perfect ones have ever been in captivity They will be under the personal supervision of Professor Glass, an expert trainer, and will perform within an immense steel cage twenty feet high. The special added attraction will be the four Kristen Maniettas in a positive and distinct novelty. They are three women and one man, and their remarkable exhibitions depend upon the strength of their teeth and jaws One of these holds an ordinary chair in her teeth while another peacefully reclines in it and picks a mandolin, then another revolves about a horizontal bar, which is held secure by the teeth of two of her companions. One of the most clever exhibitions for the young folks is the number to be supplied by Deave's manikins These manikins appear in a miniature stage and render a complete program of their own. This week the old play of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" will be produced in tabloid form by these ingenious performers

Art Adair, a monologist and musician has an amusing turn His line of talk is new and original and has the merit of being real humorous, and his original methods of producing music from various instruments upon which he is proficient always brings the laughs, concluding his act by standing unaided on his head and rendering a solo on a clarionet.

Joe Edmonds comes again with a lot of new stories and songs that are a cure for the blues Billed as "The How-Do-Do Man," he will be seen in a singing, dancing and talking oddity that is sure to please. Mr. Edmonds was in Oakland last season with the "Maid and the Mummy" company and will be remembered in that production as the crazy Scotchman in which he was a big hit Another singing, dancing and talking sketch will be featured by Newhoff & Phelps, past masters at the art of entertaining and up-to-date exponents of fun in vaudeville.

Especial attention is directed to the great attraction on the Bellscope this week, when an immense picture of the Panama Canal will be shown. This moving picture of the world's greatest engineering feat was taken only a few weeks ago, when President Taft was in Panama, and is now shown for the first time on the Pacific Coast at the Bell. Considerable expense has been gone into to secure this great picture for Oakland and it should be a capital drawing card for the week.

YE LIBERTY

The only entirely new show on the theatrical calendar for next week is "The Walls of Jericho," which is announced for production by the Bishop players at Ye Liberty Playhouse. Two items of more than usual interest are connected with the production of this piece tomorrow evening The most important probably, is the fact that in two of the prominent roles of the piece Landers Stevens and Georgie Cooper make their reappearance with the company after an extended Eastern trip These popular players have been missed by their admirers for nearly two months now, and they are sure of a noisy welcome tomorrow evening. Then, too, the fact that this celebrated play is being given for the first time here at popular prices will be a big inducement to many who did not care to pay $2 to see it performed by a couple of stars and an inferior company last season.

"The Walls of Jericho" has the reputation of being one of the best dramas brought out in New York during the past three seasons James K Hackett and Mary Mannering appeared in it at that city and so great was their success in the piece that their time was entirely confined to the larger cities of the east As a consequence, a second company was organized to tour the western territory, headed by Herbert Kelcy and Effie Shannon These two stars paid a visit to Oakland in the piece and those who saw the play then were enthusiastic over it They played here only one or two nights, however, so the piece is practically new to theater-goers on this side of the bay

There are many strong dramatic scenes throughout the play, and the characters are accurately and superbly drawn The role of Jack Frobisher is a splendid one and should be superbly handled by Landers Stevens Isabelle Fletcher has all the qualifications necessary to carry the role of the wife to success, and these two should give the famous "fifteen minute denunciation scene" in the third act with great strength There are many other excellent roles and each is to be given by a player of ability The cast will include Georgie Cooper, Lillian Elliott, Helene Lackaye Estelle Warfield Bessie Sankey Maude Burns, George Friend, Henry Shumer E L Bennison George Webster and Walter Catlett and four handsome stage settings have been prepared

George Ade's entrancing "College Widow," the one big comedy success of the decade, is the unusual attraction Manager Bishop has in store for his patrons at Ye Liberty the week after next Although this piece has been continuously before the public for the past four or five years Oakland has never before had an opportunity of seeing it at popular prices and it is safe to predict that even the enormous capacity of Ye Liberty will be taxed at every performance it is given.

NOVELTY

James Post and company begin their fourth week at the Novelty Theater this afternoon in the uproarious musical comedy "Two of a Kind" All of the popular favorites will be included in the cast Some new and catchy song numbers are featured, and the "baby scene" in new costumes will continue their great popularity Ever since this sterling company opened at the Novelty they have been doing capacity business and have proved beyond a doubt that good, clean, refined musical comedy, faithfully and consistently staged as the Post company is doing is a source of delight to the public and very satisfactory to the management. The chorus is a well drilled bevy of pretty girls who render the numerous vocal numbers with a spirit and a dash that gives life and animation to their work In addition there is a vaudeville number provided that are strong features Don Fulano will be here this week Who is Don Fulano? Don Fulano is the name of a little black pony which will excite the interest of every one in Oakland Don is a vaudeville performer of the front rank and his studies—well, it is to let the general public know that a horse is not necessarily dumb because he cannot talk Dr Ellis, Don's owner and trainer, is a firm believer that a horse possesses a soul and is endowed with intellectual faculties which under proper conditions, can be cultivated Don Fulano's performances show that distinctly that he possesses a memory, a cognition of color and an understanding of the words of his trainer Not only does he understand his trainer but people in the audience can give him numbers, which he selects, and commands which he follows out to the letter As he has been mentioned in editorials in the leading papers of the country he will be recognized here as the most remarkable of educated horses that ever lived and he will certainly rank as a positive attraction at the Novelty Theater, where he will perform all week.

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FOR SALE — Nice electric automobile cheap. 1025 7th ave.

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ENTERPRISE LODGE No. 298 meets in I. O. O. F. Hall, 11th and Franklin sts., every Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock.

OAKLAND CHAPTER, No. 36, R. A. M., Wednesday, March 3, stated meeting; Past Master's degree; light refreshments.

OAKLAND CAMP No. 94 meets every Tuesday, 8 p. m., Woodmen Hall, 414 11th st. All neighbors invited. JOHNSON THOMAS, C. C. T. M. ROBINSON, Clerk.

LECTURE and demonstration by Dr. Cecilia Gustaf, the noted telepathist and astral plane worker, at the Fairlawn Hotel, Fruitvale ave., Tuesday evening, March 9, at 8 p. m. Admission, 25c.

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FIRST-CLASS boarding house cook. Oakland 5667, Home A-2751. 1051 Market.

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MEN wanted quickly by big Chicago mail order house to distribute catalogues, advertise; $25 weekly; $80 expense allowance. Manager, Dept. 31, 386 Wabash ave., Chicago.

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SIX weeks' instruction in salesmanship and position as traveling salesman with a reliable firm secured; write for our book, "How to Succeed as a Salesman." Bradstreet System, Rochester, N. Y.

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

A JAPANESE girl to assist with general housework in family of 2 adults; good, plain cook and capable of taking charge of 2 children occasionally; good wages. 1268 11th ave.

AT SUNSET EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 420 6th st. Phone Oakland 4631. Male and female help furnished.

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COMPETENT young woman for cooking and general housework; 3 in family. 1100 Day st., Alameda. F. Marrott.

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WANTED—Women to make ice cream cornucopias; good wages. Call N. C. B. Ice Cream Co., Market and Apgar sts., Oakland.

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WANTED—A girl for general housework, family of 4; wages $25 to $30. 110 Moss ave.; take Oakland ave car.

WANTED—Lady bookkeeper, typewriter; state experience and salary expected. Box 11723, Tribune.

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WHEN some one looks over the wants in search of your ad, it should be "THERE."

A-1 BOOKKEEPER and office man, 8 years' bank and commercial experience; moderate salary to start; local and Eastern references. Address 857 57th st., Oakland.

AN experienced Japanese wants position as schoolboy in Oakland. K. Soejima, 767 13th st., Oakland.

A JAPANESE good cook and general houseworker wishes position in family. Oakland 3373.

A JAPANESE wants position as waiter or houseworker. 349 Telegraph ave., Oakland. Phone 4744.

A BRIGHT young colored man desires a position. 1626 5th st.

BOOKKEEPER having spare time desires small set of books to keep, eight years' experience. Address E. H. Harrison, 853 Broadway.

BY experienced furnishing goods clerk; references. Box 10,353, Tribune.

COLORED man wants position as cook in hotel, restaurant, boarding house or private car; can furnish references. Call or address James Tamplin, 878 Lydia st., Oakland.

COMPETENT man with 20 years' experience handling all kinds of horses wants position on stock farm or stable foreman; well recommended. Box 11,766, Tribune.

COMPETENT married man, 8 years' experience in general office work, would like work of any kind. Box 10,326, Tribune.

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CHINESE first-class cook wants position in a family in Oakland or in city. Address 856 Webster st.

COMPETENT boy of much experience with horses desires wagon driving. Box 10,464, Tribune.

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FOREMAN carpenter desires a job; first-class and all responsibility taken. Box 11,710, Tribune.

FIRSTCLASS carpenter, finisher, Oakland or Fruitvale, $4 day. Box 248, Emeryville.

GOOD Japanese cook wishes position in family. R. Naka, 2508 Telegraph ave., Berkeley.

JAPANESE boy wants wash dishes or other work on evenings or morning; phone Oakland 1797 San Pablo ave. 1206 William.

POSITION as egg candler; has salesman experience. Box 10,346, Tribune.

WANTED—Carpenter work; wages $2.50, town or country. Address box 11,742, Tribune.

YOUNG man attending college would like work after school hours. Address Box 10302, Tribune.

YOUNG man (German) desires a position of any kind. Box 11,759, Tribune.

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A MIDDLE-AGED German lady wants work; good seamstress and nurse, also good housekeeper and plain cook. Box 5411, Tribune.

A WOMAN wishes day's work, washing, ironing, cleaning. Mrs. Brown, 1304 E. 11th st.

A COMPETENT laundress and housecleaner wants day work. Phone Oakland 8893.

A YOUNG lady stenographer desires position; wages nominal. Phone Berkeley 2691.

A JAPANESE woman wants situation as nurse or something else, in small family. Miss Kato, 731 Alice st.

A COMPETENT ironer wants half a day's work. Box 11,718, Tribune.

A YOUNG woman wishes washing or housework; $1.25. Box 10495, Tribune.

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A GOOD cook wants a place with some housework. 1577 Broadway, Oakland.

A JAPANESE young girl wants place as school girl. Please phone Oak. 3198.

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EXPERIENCED work and second girl wishes position. Box 5678, Tribune.

FIRST-CLASS cook wants position in private family or hotel; best references. Phone Oakland 3303.

GIRL with best references wants position for general housework or as nurse. Phone Oakland 3302.

GOOD cook, Japanese girl, wants situation; $40 month. 319 4th st.

JAPANESE young girl wants position at housework. 252 5th st., Oakland, H. H.

ONE girl wants position as waitress, hotel; one girl as chambermaid, same place. Box 11,768, Tribune.

SWEDISH girl wishes employment as cook. Phone Oakland 9417.

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POSITION wanted by Eastern lady as a first-class maker or designer. Address 1016 Pine st. Home phone A-1069.

POSITION as typewriter; slight experience in stenography; would assist in store. Address box 11,745, Tribune.

SEAMSTRESS and dressmaker, first class, wishes 3 or 4 days a week steady work. Box 5403, Tribune.

WANTED—Day work by refined capable young woman; governess, companion to invalid; will assist with sewing, housework or care of children; Berkeley preferred; references. Address box 11,740, Tribune.

WANTED—By Scotch lady, position as companion housekeeper to elderly couple or single lady; good teacher and musician; small salary. Address box 10,369, Tribune.

WANTED—Position as housekeeper for apartment house by refined and thoroughly capable woman. Address box 11741, Tribune.

WOMAN wants washing and housework, 25c hour, $2 day. Miss Dean, 1030 5th ave. Home B-1328.

WOMAN fine cook, fine housekeeper, small American family; $40 to $45. Phone Oakland 6987, or box 11, Tribune.

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WANTED—Position by first-class waitress; no Sunday work. Address or call at 2013 Broadway, Oakland.

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WOMAN wants washing or cleaning by the day, $1.50 day and carfare. 419 13th st. Phone Oakland 2167.

WOMAN wants a few hours' chamber work; close in. Address box 11,776, Tribune.

WANTED—A position to keep house. Address Lawler, 1020 7th st., Oakland.

YOUNG lady desires position as stenographer; beginner; can assist in bookkeeping; good penman; salary no object. Box 11,770, Tribune.

YOUNG woman with 2-year-old child wishes light housework, country preferred; state terms. Address box 10,317, Tribune.

YOUNG lady stenographer will work very reasonable in order to get experience. Phone Oakland 6871.

YOUNG lady wishes position as nurse for 1 or 2 children; no objection to country. Address box 10,318, Tribune.

YOUNG lady wishes position as nurse or second girl; no objection to country. Address box 10,319, Tribune.

YOUNG woman (Swedish) wants to do housework. Address box 10,323, Tribune.

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FIRST-CLASS dressmaker, classy and up-to-date, work guaranteed. Parlors of Miss Warren, St. Francis apts., corner 19th and San Pablo ave.

FASHIONABLE and reliable dressmaker wishes few engagements by day, $2.00. Phone Oakland 5476.

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ELECTRICAL WORK
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BY machine, while you wait. S. M. Somerville, 216 San Pablo ave.

EAGLE Shoe Shop, 1164 Jefferson st., opp. Metropole Hotel—Only best material used; hand work our specialty. Y. Shaw, proprietor.

FIRST-CLASS shoe repairing. 912 San Pablo ave., bet. 23d and 24th. T. Omaru.

SHOES repaired by hand or machine; prices reasonable. Togo, 33 Telegraph.

TRUNKS, BAGS AND SUIT CASES.

OAKLAND Trunk Mfg., 56 San Pablo ave., opp. 15th st.

TYPEWRITERS.

NEW and secondhand typewriters bought, sold, rented, repaired, exchanged. Smith Bros., 462 13th; phone Oakland 989.

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UMBRELLAS repaired and recovered. Whittall Umbrella Factory, 606 San Pablo ave. Phones Oakland 3009 and Home A 2460.

LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND

IF YOU LOSE ANYTHING—Advertise it here. It will be returned to you if an honest person finds it. Remarkable recoveries are brought about every day through this column.

IF YOU FIND ANYTHING—Advertise it in

The Tribune, Office, Eighth and Franklin and 1058 Broadway.

THE LAW—Section 485, Penal Code of California, is strict in requiring finders of lost property to seek its owners through advertisement and otherwise, and failure to do so, if it is proven, involves a severe penalty.

A BULL terrier pup lost, with black spot over left eye. Finder return 155 12th st., Oakland, and receive reward.

FOUND—A dog. Call after 6 p. m., 722 18th st., prove and pay expenses.

LOST—From 2063 Buena Vista Ave., Alameda, a brown puppy. Return to above address and receive reward.

LOST—Boston terrier; brindle or brown color; with white around neck and chest; short tail with kink; black collar with knobs. Return 2151 Center street, Berkeley, phone Berkeley 2 or Berkeley 661; liberal reward.

LOST—Silver-mounted Waterman fountain pen, presumably between East Oakland and Phelan bldg., S. F. (narrow-gauge); reward. E. B. Randall, 920 Phelan building.

LOST—Tuesday in central Oakland, a silver buckle on green belt and engraved "Ethel McClelland" and date. Return to Miss McClelland, editorial rooms, Oakland Tribune; reward.

LOST—March 4, from skidoo car, 4:25 p. m., between Ashby station and 60th st., black lynx muff. Party who found it please return to 2012 Otis st. and receive reward.

LOST—February 18, large Scotch collie, light tan white neck, name Don; reward. Address Pierce Hardware Co., Oakland, or B. H. Griffin, Richmond.

LOST—Gold bracelet with 5 rhinestones, in going 9th and Washington to 13th and Clay to Broadway, about 6 p. m.; reward. 914 Castro st.

LOST—On San Pablo ave., between 40th and Park, opal ring; liberal reward. Box 10301, Tribune.

LOST—Elk's tooth charm, engraved A. H. S., B. P. O. E. 171. Suitable reward if returned to 1158 Washington st.

LOST—A brown fur, at Macdonough Theater, Saturday p. m. Please return 758 54th st.; reward.

SATCHEL on San Pablo car. Return to 6100 San Pablo ave.; liberal reward.

WHEN the finder looks at the ads, the ad of the loser should be "THERE."

FURNITURE FOR SALE.

WHEN the man, for whom you ought to be looking, LOOKS—your ad should be "THERE."

BY private party, odd weathered oak pieces, brass beds, folding beds, dressers, rugs, oak extension table and chairs, buffet, bookcase; cheap. 52... 18th st., near Telegraph ave.

ELEGANT new furniture of modern 4-room flat for sale; at 10th and Grove sts.; rent very reasonable; furnished complete and up-to-date; splendid chance for young couple; cheap for cash. Box 5438, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Cheap; furniture of 4-room flat, complete; elegant piano; cheap rent; immediate possession; owner leaving city. Call 1038 Peralta st., Oakland.

FOR SALE—Furniture of a rooming house of 9 rooms at a sacrifice. Call at 1016 Jefferson st.

FURNITURE of 8 roomed house, cheap; 2 blocks from local. 1219 Harrison st.

FOR SALE cheap, solid Flemish Oak dining room furniture. 663 11th st.

FURN., stove, waterback, furniture, rugs, pictures, etc. 576 Jones, Oakland.

HERE is a chance for anyone looking for a bargain in furniture. I have large account against a reliable furniture house. Will sell all or part of my claim at a good discount. Address box 1601, Tribune.

LOOKED good to us. We contracted direct from factory; 65 brass and iron beds; all bran-spanken new. Get your vote in trim. They go for a song at the old reliable H. Schellhaas' store, entrance 11th and Franklin sts., Oakland.

NEW furniture, new prices, at H. Schellhaas', I. O. O. F. Building, 11th and Franklin sts.

SECOND handed furniture in good order, the largest stock in California, at remarkably reasonable prices. You must visit our immense store, get our prices, if you want the most for your money. Oakland Auction Co., 369, 3.., 363 13th st., near Franklin, just 1½ blocks from Broadway. Phone Oakland ..79, Home A1479.

THE complete furnishings of 8 rooms must be sold immediately; parties leaving town. For this bargain inquire 642 12th st.

WE are paying more for furniture than anyone else. Ring up Oakland 2948 or call at 366½ 10th st.

MINES AND MINING.

ALLGEWAHR BROS. CO.—Assaying in all its branches; accuracy guaranteed; send for mailing envelope. 313 6th st.

FINE Alaska dredging concession; $6000 required for drilling. Box 1729, Tribune.

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OLD furniture renewed. W. F. Curtis, 664 20th st. Oakland 6518, A-2963.

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A—ROBERT G. FULTON, B. A., M. D., 516 11th st., Oakland, Cal.
LEADING SPECIALIST FOR WOMEN.
LADIES—
20 years ago I graduated from two old leading universities. SINCE then I have TREATED WOMEN'S AILMENTS EXCLUSIVELY. I have the largest practice because I have had the most experience and the best equipped office. Any lady who needs my help may come to me privately and in full confidence and be assured of prompt, perfect and happy results. No delay, disappointments or detention from occupation.
No need to endanger your life consulting irregular and unreliable so-called specialists when for the same fee you may have the services of the most successful and most reliable specialist in California.
My offices are strictly private and my painless, harmless methods are a pride to the profession. My fees are reasonable.
My hours are 9:30 a. m. to 8 p. m. I never fail. Phone Oakland 5458.
DR. ROBERT GREENLEAF FULTON, 516 11th st., between Washington and Clay sts., Oakland, Cal.

AAA—DR. AND MRS. DR. PIERCE—Skilled specialists of vast experience for all women's ailments; our treatment is pleasant, safe and sure and no delay from your occupation; examination free. Room 502, Westbank bldg., 830 Market st., San Francisco; 10 to 8; Sundays, 12 to 1.

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ALTA Bates Sanitarium, 2460 Webster, east of Telegraph, Berkeley. Surgical, obstetrical and rest cure. Phone Berkeley 1144.

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San Francisco's Leading Physician for Women.
LADIES:
You owe it to yourselves to seek the aid of an expert in the treatment of the complaints peculiar to your sex.
Every woman may consult Dr. Groves in absolute confidence; she will find in him a friend and adviser who will give her the benefit of his vast experience in restoring her to health, happiness and freedom from care and worry.
Private sanatorium for those desiring to remain. Pay when well. Do not delay.
Hours: 9-9; Sun., 9-4. Phone Frank. 2852
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LADIES! Ask your druggist for Chichesters Pills, the Diamond Band. For 25 years known as best, safest; always reliable. Take no other. Chichesters Diamond Brand Pills are sold by druggists everywhere.

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MME. DR. E. SIMON, grad. midwife and electrician; private home for confinement; terms moderate; 12 to 3 p. m. 3120 Wash. st., Fruitvale. Merritt 167.

PRIVATE home for confinement and convalescent cases; best of care; reasonable; adoption if desired. 518 20th st.

PHYSICIANS' DIRECTORY.

DR. F. W. D'EVELYN—Office, 2115 California st., San Francisco; telephone West 1144; hours, 1 to 3. Residence, 2103 Clinton ave., Alameda; telephone Alameda 150; hours, 9 to 10 a. m., 7 to 8 p. m.

X—DR. C. GROVES, San Francisco's leading specialist for women and maternity cases; strictly private; hours, 9-9. 966 Market st., S. F.

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DR. F. A. LACEY, Osteopathy; Electro-Therapeutics. Oakland Bank of Savings bldg., 12th and Broadway.

VALPEAU'S FEMALE PILLS.

VALPEAU'S female pills are sure; best regulating pills sold; price $2.50 by express. Osgood's Drug Stores, Oakland.

RUPTURE CURED.

"TALKS ON RUPTURE," by Prof. Pierce. Just issued; copy free. Pierce & Son, 1417 Chestnut st., Alameda.

HAIR PHYSICIAN.

DR. M. M. CARTER, hair physician—Diseases of head and hair treated; scalp and facial massage, shampooing and manicuring. Rooms 67 and 68, 1065 Washington st.; phone Oakland 3304.

ELECTRIC LIGHT BATHS.

ELEGANT reclining cabinet; marble enclosed shower. Oakland Bank of Savings bldg. Phone Oakland 2463.

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WHITE Sewing Machines have all the good qualities desired in a machine; ball bearing, lock and chain stitch, besides being finely finished; you will make no mistake in buying a WHITE; many secondhand and shop worn machines at greatly reduced prices. White Sewing Machine Co., 470 11th st.; telephone Oakland 1122.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICES.

AT the New Oakland Employment Agency, 652 7th st., gives best results in getting male and female help. Phone Oakland 3302.

A. A. A.—RELIABLE help can be obtained from the Orient Employment Agents, such as Chinese servants of all classes. Phone Oakland 3101. 714 Webster st.

A. A. A.—CHINESE cooks furnished at Orient Emp. Office. Phone Oakland 310, 714 Webster st.

A—JAPANESE Employment Office—General contractors; furnishes best help. 281 8th st.; phones Oakland 3153, A-4513.

JAPANESE Employ., House-cleaning Co., 837 Clay. Tel. Oak. 1384. Home A-3446.

ADOPTION.

FAINLESS confinement; children boarded or adopted; confidential. Maternity Villa, 1416 8th st., Alameda.

FURNISHED HOUSES TO LET.

WHEN some one looks over the wants in search of your ad, it should be "THERE."

ARTISTIC 6-room bungalow, gas, electricity; near cars and local. 1636 36th ave., Fruitvale.

FURNITURE FOR RENT.
Will rent furniture, carpets, linen, dishes, bedding and everything necessary to furnish a 5 or 6 room house, for $15 a month; must agree to 6 months or year lease and pay moving charges; will give privilege of purchasing if desired. Box 11722, Tribune.

FOR RENT—Furnished, attractive six-room home in North Berkeley; polished floors, Oriental rugs, fine china, good beds, etc.; $40 per month; adults only; references. Box 5405, Tribune.

FOR RENT—Very reasonable, furnished or unfurnished, modern cottage of 5 rooms and bath; located near 40th st. Key Route. For full information address box 8500, Tribune.

FOR RENT—6-room furnished cottage in exchange for board of lady and boy of 6; 5 blocks from center of town. Box 10,344, Tribune.

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished, cottage of 5 rooms, on 55th st., near Key Route; rent reasonable. Inquire 964 55th st.

FOR RENT—Six room furnished house in North Berkeley; near cars and trains; adults only. Address Box 10401, Tribune.

FOR RENT—Nice cottage of 5 rooms and bath, partly furnished, with garage; rent cheap. 468 37th st., off Telegraph.

MODERN well-furnished 6-room house, half block from Telegraph ave.; rent reduced to $35. Apply at 418 9th st.

NEW modern 5-room cottage, ready for occupancy; convenient to two car lines. 690 E. 27th st., East Oakland.

NICELY furnished cottage, five rooms and bath; rent $25. 1929 Magnolia st.

SEVEN rooms, furnished; lawn, flowers; Piedmont by the lake; $28. 162 Crescent st., off Perry. C. Roney.

TO lease, not less than 6 months, to responsible family, furnishing first-class references, 8-room house, furnished, own water, North Oakland, $30 month; well located to S. F., Berkeley and Central Oakland. Call at 912 41st st., Oakland.

6-ROOM house, furnished or unfurnished. 1018 E. 21st st., on car line.

UNFURNISHED HOUSES TO LET.

Clairvoyants, Look!

Seven Rooms, Furnished

EXCELLENT TRANSIENT HOUSE.
Cheap rent. 1037 A Golden Gate ave., S. F. Apply room 3; present owner going East.

COZY new modern 6-room cottage; you can sublet 2 rear rooms, with separate sink and help pay rent; all for $25. 1032 47th st.

COZY rear cottage of 6 rooms, at 1312 10th ave.; fuel gas; front and back yard; rent $11.

COTTAGE, 6 rooms, gas, bath, yard, $13. 1173 Santa Fe ave., Golden Gate.

ELEGANT house, 9 rooms and bath, located on 10th ave., East Oakland, one block from car line; rent $37.50. Phone Oakland 3673, or call at 1513 9th st.

ELEGANT 1-room house, furnished or unfurnished. 1011 Webster st. Apply W. C. Price, 364 11th st.

FOR RENT—House of 6 rooms and bath; located in warm belt in East Oakland, half block from street car; street improved, ground high; large yard and fine assortment of roses and other flowers; place in excellent condition, has always been occupied by owner. Will rent very cheap to responsible permanent tenant. Phone Oakland 3208.

FURNISHED complete, 5-room modern flat; light and sunny; also 2-room modern apartment; rents reduced. 1823 Grove st.

FIVE and 6-room, sunny, modern bungalow; 55th st. Key Route; North Oakland. Phone Berkeley 3267.

FURNISHED or unfurnished cottage of 5 rooms; rent reasonable. Apply 1607 23d ave.

FOR RENT—5-room modern new cottage; 356 Moss ave. Key at 351 Moss ave.

SUNNY 7-room cottage, with bath and basement. Key 1131 Filbert st.

VERY nice new modern 5-room cottage, fine location, $21 per month to good tenants. 1560 13th ave.

$20—COTTAGE, 5 rooms, bath, pantry, high basement. 908 41st st., near Market. Key at 912.

FURNISHED FLATS TO LET.

A FLAT of 4 or 6 rooms, furnished or unfurnished and also single rooms. 925 Adeline st.

BEAUTIFUL sunny 3-room flat to let; newly furnished; will sell at sacrifice; leaving city; no dealers; references. 1056 Madison, apartment 6.

FOR RENT—Completely furnished flat, 5 rooms, modern conveniences, near Piedmont Baths; rent reasonable; very desirable. 75 Hamilton place, Oakland avenue car. Call Sunday.

FURNISHED upper flat for rent; best location in Oakland; rent reasonable; modern and up-to-date. Apply 520 28th st., near Telegraph ave.

NICELY furnished sunny flat. 1017 Myrtle st., bet. 10th and 12th.

NICELY furnished flat, 5 rooms and bath. 280 24th st.

PARTLY furnished flat of 5 rooms, gas, electricity, bath, stable, large yard, $20. Apply 2017 West st.

SIX furnished rooms and bath; rent $20. 115 Telegraph ave.

$15—2-ROOM modern flat, bath, laundry. 764 Lydia st., near San Pablo and 22d.

UNFURNISHED FLATS TO LET.

WHEN some one looks over the wants in search of your ad, it should be "THERE."

AA—$30—Nice sunny upper flat; 7 rooms, bath and pantry; desirable neighborhood; within 3 blocks of five electric lines into Oakland and 5 blocks to local train. 1271 11th ave. Key next door at 1267 11th ave., E. Oakland.

A NEW modern upper flat, 6 rooms and bath, on Grove st., between 31st and 32d sts.; sun all day; rent reduced from $35 to $32.50, water paid, key at 2082 Grove st.

A MODERN flat, 4 rooms, with bath and laundry. 674 35th st.

A LOWER flat of 5 rooms, bath; rent reasonable. 1808 Grove street.

BEAUTIFUL new flat of 6 rooms reasonable. 162 10th st.

BEAUTIFUL new flat of 6 rooms; reasonable. 811 16th st.

Elegant

new, modern, 5-room lower flat; latest improvements; convenient to cars; rent reasonable. 5948 Telegraph ave., corner Rose st.

FIVE-ROOM flat and bath at 1365 Broadway, near 17th st.; elegant location for dressmaker, etc.; rent reasonable. Phone Oakland 3296.

FIVE-ROOM flat, bath, pantry, gas, electricity; 3 blocks Clinton station; cars pass door, rent reasonable. 1011 6th ave.

FLAT for rent. Six-room upper flat. Modern and up to date. Best location in Oakland. Apply 520 28th st.

FLAT, lower, 7 light sunny rooms, bath, gas. 1017 16th st.

FIVE-ROOM lower flat; modern; adults. 412 20th st.

HANDSOME lower flat for rent; 7 rooms and bath; finished basement and place for automobile; convenient to all car lines; will sell curtains and carpets at bargain; apply mornings. 585 23d st.; phone Oakland 3896.

LOWER flat, 3 rooms and bath; $11. 546 Sycamore st.

NEW modern lower flat of 4 rooms and bath; free well water, nice garden; low rent. 1609 Stuart st., 3 blocks from Grove st. (Berkeley).

NICE sunny upper flat 4 rooms, bath, gas, electricity; convenient to Key Route and cars. Phone Oakland 7515.

SUNNY modern 5-room upper flat; newly renovated; 1 block to Key Route, 22d and Broadway; 5 minutes' walk to City Hall; rent $27.50. 483 23d, near Telegraph.

SUNNY flat, 5 rooms and bath; $18. 4340 E. 14th st., near Pomona ave.

SUNNY modern 4-room upper flat. Central. Rent $22. 977 Webster st.

SUNNY flat 5 rooms and bath; $18. 3940 E. 14th st., near Pomona ave.

SUNNY lower flat, 5 rooms and bath; $25. 3754 Piedmont ave.

UNFURNISHED FLATS TO LET. (Continued)

THREE new flats for rent; all first-class. Key at 477 34th st.

TO LET—Flat, 859 Harrison st.; only responsible tenants need apply.

TWO new sunny flats, 6 rooms, fine location, rent $23. 553 29th st.

UPPER flat 4 rooms and bath; sun all day; walking distance to 14th and Broadway; key at 690 Sycamore st. Phone Oakland 7974.

UPPER flat, 5 rooms and bath, $21; lower flat, 4 rooms and bath, $18. 133 Locksley ave. Telegraph car to 55th, thence 3 blocks east.

UPPER flat, 6 rooms and bath, gas, with large yard. Apply 221 5th st.

702 39TH st., block of Key Route, near Grove st.—6-room flat, sunny, new, rent $30, with 1 month free upon year lease. Apply downstairs.

$23.50, $27.50—Modern 5 and 6 room flats, Hannover ave., near Lake. Apply, 824 28th st.

$17.50—ELEGANT, cozy 4-room sunny flat; choice location. Apply 1104 Myrtle st.

$20—Modern 6 room flat with large yard and barn. 1354 Center st., Oakland.

5-ROOM lower flat, modern, near Key Route; $20. Phone 5231 Oakland.

$22—ATTRACTIVE, sunny, modern corner upper flat. 1002 28th, cor. Filbert.

3-ROOM flat. Inquire 962 Grove st., near 10th.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET.

WHEN some one looks over the wants in search of your ad, it should be "THERE."

A COUPLE have 1 or 2 nicely furnished sunny rooms for gentlemen; all conveniences; walking distance Broadway, also S. P. Merritt 3389. 210 E. 12th st.

ADELINE st., 4116—Upper flat, 5 sunny rooms; nearly new, partly furnished; near 40th st. Key Route.

A MODERN house, private family, large sunny front room; call mornings. 515 20th st.

AT 1072 4th ave., 10 minutes from Broadway, 1 block from car lines, 2 newly furnished single rooms.

A PLEASANT room in private family, near Key Route; on Telegraph ave. Phone Piedmont 2364.

CORNER 11th and Jackson, 105—Fine alcove sleeping room for single man; first floor front, nicely furnished; use of bath; rent reasonable.

FURNISHED for 1 or 2 gentlemen, large sunny rooms, running water and near Key Route, also stable for garage. 574 Sycamore st.

FURNISHED bungalow; 15 minutes from Broadway; wanted bachelor to share. Apply personally, room 12, 1069 Broadway.

FRONT and back parlor, nicely furnished; housekeeping rooms, near local and town. 836 Jackson st.

FINELY furnished room, large, light, modern conveniences, central, suitable for two, private. 663 11th st.

FINELY furnished suite of rooms with private bathroom; also housekeeping. 724 14th st.

FINE sunny room, 530 53d st., between Shattuck and Telegraph aves., near Key Route station.

FURNISHED front room for rent. 484 22d st., near Key Route.

FURNISHED room, reasonable. 417 15th.

HOTEL ST. PAUL, cor. 12th and Clay—European plan; 200 furnished rooms; 50c & $1.50 day, $2.50 & $7 wk, elevator.

IN private family, nice furnished side room with use of phone and bath. $8 per month. 519 18th st.

LIVINGSTON

Suites of two and three rooms; also single rooms; hot and cold water, phone; convenient to car line. 537 San Pablo ave., corner of Athens.

LARGE sunny bay-window room with private bath, in private family; convenient to cars and locals; also smaller room, reasonable. 1007 Oak. Phone 8373.

LARGE sunny front room, neatly furnished, suitable for two; private board near by; C. S. desired. 1443 Franklin st., between 19th and 20th.

LARGE side room, newly furnished; gentleman; reasonable. 839½ San Pablo ave.

MODERN room in modern flat; electric light and bath, $2.50 weekly. 832 Mead ave., near Key Route station.

NEAT sunny corner room to 2 gents., or 2 for housekeeping, or will board occupants. 671 19th st.

NEATLY furnished sunny front room, bath, $8; Sunday or after 6 p. m.; no sign. 764 11th st.

NICELY furnished room for 1 gentleman, bath, private family, $7.50 per month. 714½ 20th st.

NICELY furnished front room for 1 or 2 gentlemen. 1317 Webster st.

NEWLY furnished rooms, all conveniences; very reasonable. 363-A 12th st.

NICELY furnished sunny rooms; phone, hot water and bath. 669 11th st.

ONE sunny front room, with fireplace; also small room, with fine outlook, modern conveniences; 20 minutes' walk from town; rent reasonable. Apply 154 Newton ave., East Oakland.

ONE newly furnished room with bath. 530 Hobart or 21st st.; phone Oak. 7392.

PLEASANT sunny front room in private home; on car line; within walking distance Broadway; rent reasonable; gentleman or lady. 1127 2d ave., cor. 14th.

SUNNIEST rooms in the city in a lovely home; walking distance; only $8 and $10; references. Phone Oakland 7439.

SUNNY front room for gentleman, breakfast if desired. Phone, after 7 p. m., A-2402.

SUNNY room, private bath. 1455 Madison st., northwest corner.

SUNNY furnished rooms. 1011 Brush st., bet. 10th and 11th sts.

THE STANLEY—Fur. rooms, with hot and cold water; reasonable. 358 10th st., cor. Webster; phone Oakland 7424.

TWO or three sunny furnished housekeeping rooms. 1268 8th ave., E. Oakland.

TWO connecting sunny rooms, separate entrance; cozy; also fine single rooms upstairs. 615 15th st.

THE MARYLAND, 960 Webster st.—Sunny front rooms; housekeeping, transient.

1116 ALICE st.—Sunny furnished room.

UNFURNISHED ROOMS TO LET.

BEAUTIFUL sunny 3-room apartment; private front and back entrance; unfurnished. Corner 4th ave. and E. 16th st.

FOR RENT in a modern cottage, two unfurnished front rooms cheap. 610 39th st.

RENT—New pair of flats; 5 and 6 rooms. Inquire, 567 31st st.

THREE sunny unfurnished rooms to rent, with running water and private bath room and toilet. 814 Oak st.

TWO or three unfurnished rooms, private bath; reasonable. 538 Hobart st.

HOUSES AND ROOMS WANTED.

WHEN the "furnished-roomer" comes to look for something better, your ad. should be "THERE."

WANTED—To rent 5 or 6-room unfurnished house, with stable; must be in good neighborhood and within 20 minutes of city hall. Address box 11,739, Tribune.

WANTED—New flat or cottage of 6 or 7 rooms, by a man and wife; no children; two-story cottage preferred. Box 10,374, Tribune.

WANTED—To rent, by April 1, modern house of 8 rooms, near S. P. train. Phone Berkeley 2287.

WANTED—A modern house of 7 or 8 rooms close in. Address Box 15612, Tribune.

WANTED—2 housekeeping rooms; near local trains; not over $20. Address A. Hogan, 1276 Webster st.

STORES AND OFFICES WANTED.

WHEN a good tenant begins to "look," your "To Let" ad. should be "THERE."

WANTED—Suite of rooms, furnished or partly furnished, in business center; running water, electric light and gas; must be very reasonable; permanent. Box 5602, Tribune.

WANTED—OLD GOLD.

HIGHEST prices paid for diamonds and old gold. Schoenfeld & Co., 40 San Pablo.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

WHEN some one looks over the wants in search of your ad, it should be "THERE."

A.A.—DOUBLE front room, with first-class board, suitable for two; situated in best part of Fruitvale; handy to locals and cars. 3119 Lloyd ave., Fruitvale. Phone Merritt 1097.

ARLINGTON HOTEL, 9th and Washington—New management; family hotel; best 25c meal in Oakland; rooms 50c up; special rates weekly, perm. guests.

A FURNISHED room, gas, running water, closet; good board for two; terms moderate. 1170 Madison st., SE. cor. 14th.

A BEAUTIFUL room for 2 gentlemen; large, sunny; grate, hot and cold water, nice home. 582 Jones st.

AT 1302 Jackson st.—Single rooms, with first-class board; terms reasonable. Phone Oakland 7295.

ALEXANDRA, 1368 Webster st.—Large sunny rooms, running water, etc., with or without board.

A BEAUTIFUL sunny suite of 2 rooms; excellent board. 1315 Webster st.

EXCELLENT room and board, $25 per month; hot and cold water, bath, gas. 1223 Union st.

ELWOOD, 592 Sycamore—Rooms with board, rates reas. Phone Oak. 6269.

FURNISHED rooms with excellent board; individual lavatory; large rooms, close to Key Route. 1054 18th st. Phone Oakland 3512, Home A-2443.

HIGH-CLASS room and board in home, with only a few guests, suitable for 1 or 2 people; room sunny, with running water and grate; close in; terms moderate; references. Phone Oakland 1627. 117 13th st.

LARGE rooms, sun all day, with dinner and breakfast, phone, private bath, large closet, running water; 5 minutes to 14th and Broadway. 1305 Madison st., cor. 15th; lakeside district.

LARGE front bay-window room, with grate, closet, etc.; within 2 blocks of 14th st. station; newly furnished; suitable for two. 1264 Harrison st.

LARGE sunny room; private bath; board exceptionally good; also single rooms; references. 481 39th st.

LARGE pleasant room, with board, for 1 or 2 gentlemen. 141 8th st., corner Madison.

LARGE, nicely furnished room, with or without board. 1175 Market st., cor. 14th.

LARGE sunny suite, with board; central location. Phone Oak. 3791. 570 11th st.

LARGE sunny room and good board for 2, $25 per month. 1401 Castro st., cor. 18th.

NICELY furnished rooms, also table board. 1110 Jefferson st.

ONE large sunny, front room, with board, suitable for 2 people convenient to all car lines; home cooking. The Pontiac, 2505 Bancroft way, Berkeley. Phone Berkeley 882.

PALM INN, family hotel, 584 25th st., near Key Route—Large sunny rooms; private baths; strictly first-class; large grounds and porches. $85 per couple up.

PRIVATE board and room for respectable party, $6. 1213 Filbert st. Phone Oakland 6061.

ROOMS and board at 529 23d; near Key Route Inn. Phone Oakland 6408.

SELECT neighborhood, 654 13th st., corner Grove, 4 minutes' walk from Broadway, fine sunny rooms, hot and cold water, heat, free telephone; splendid table, new management.

STRICTLY private family would room and board, near Key Route, two gentlemen or couple of refinement; references exchanged. Phone Piedmont 4088.

SUNNY room with board for one or two men; near Telegraph and Key Route station. 481 38th st.

SUNNY room, with board, for two, in newly furnished house. Call 678 13th st. Phone Oakland 9299.

SUNNY front room, with board, for employed lady or gentleman, $22.50, near lake. Address box 10,379, Tribune.

SUNNY rooms, with board; running water. 538 32d st.

THE ADELINE, 1051 Market st.—First-class boarding house; European or American plan. Oakland 5667, Home A-2751.

TABLE board, $18 per month; single meals, 25c; also rooms. 1302 Franklin st.

11TH, 806—Room and board in Jewish family; centrally located; terms reasonable.

$5.00 A WEEK, room and board in private family; all conveniences. 970 Jefferson st.

$5 PER week, room and board; private family; all conveniences. 1112 Alice st.

CHILDREN BOARDED.

A LADY wishes one or two children to board; very nice home; good care and mother's love. Phone Home B1528, 412 E. 18th st.

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Piano Practice

Students wishing to arrange for piano practice apply Oakland Conservatory of Music, 203-205 12th st. Director, Adolf Gregory.

PROF. PALMER, banjo, mandolin, guitar studio, 460 13th st. Tel. Oakland 4475.

VIOLIN studio—Max Lercher, 312 13th st. Phone Oakland 2514.

SHORTEST time for thorough knowledge shorthand, typewriting, Mrs. Hall's studio, 1611½ Brush st., reporting specialized, individual instruction, day, evening classes, best system, briefest methods.

TEACHER of voice or small instrument to take studio with piano teacher; close in; handy to cars; every convenience. Mabel Moffitt, 1051 Market st. Oakland 5667, Home A-2751.

PASTURE.

FOR RENT—Pasture of 400 acres, suitable for dairy; will take share of milk as rent or $2 a head. J. Dutra, 1663 Atlantic st.

PIANOS TO RENT.

FINE pianos for rent. Kohler & Chase, 1015 Broadway. Phone Oakland 1000.

REAL ESTATE.

Laymance Real Estate Co.
1214-1216 Broadway
Oakland

$18500

Extra fine downtown apartments; each has separate front and rear entrance; individual heaters; water plant; absolutely noise proof; under lease; pays 16 per cent net on money invested; $8000 mortgage at bank interest.

$1050

Lot 50x137; street work done; east of Telegraph ave. This will sell for $1500 within 6 months.

$16000

Business corner of stores on one of Oakland's finest thoroughfares; income $2160 per annum; one of the few properties of this nature offered for sale in Oakland. Half cash.

$1350

Lot 50x104; in the railroad call district; flats or cottages would rent well here; we consider this good.

$10000

Beautiful modern bungalow of 7 large sunny rooms; hardwood floors; furnace; 73x100; garage; fine view; in Oakland's choicest residence location.

$33 Foot

Bargain—Upper Piedmont lot, 60x125; 3½ feet above street level; new car line; cheapest buy in this favored district.

$8500

Exceptional corner buy in one of the choicest, most convenient location in Oakland; lot 120x100; 10-room house; convenient to 3 main car lines and Key Route service. Land alone worth the money easily.

$650

Lot 40x112; street work complete; good location in East Oakland; $150 cash, balance to suit.

$7500

Fruitvale residence, 10 rooms; 83x363; fruit trees and flowers; convenient to 2 car lines and S. F. local train service.

$2750

Bargain in Adams Point lot, 50x125; adjoining land held at $70 per foot.

$5250

Pair modern flats, 5 and 6 rooms; north side; income $55 month; near Key Route service; $2000 cash.

$30 Foot

198-foot corner, in Oakland Heights; average depth 84 feet; street work done; 5-room cottage thrown in; terms arranged. We can sell cottages here for you.

$4150

Good 2-story house, 7 rooms; 37.6x128; $2750 mortgage can remain; near 14th and Adeline sts. Fine value.

$2750

Fine location for laundry or bakery or for investment; store and living rooms in rear; 4-room flat above; not new, but in splendid repair; deep lot; main thoroughfare, convenient to S. F. service.

Some Smaller Properties

$2250—New cottage, 5 rooms, bath, paneled dining room; near Shattuck ave. Key Route station; a bargain.

$2200—Plain cottage, 6 rooms, bath; 25x100; near 9th and Kirkham sts. Reduced from $2500 for quick sale.

$1500—3-room cottage; 40x135; street work done, near 11th ave.

$1500—New cottage, 5 rooms, bath; not quite complete; 30x94; $1000 mortgage can remain; on main carline, East Oakland. This is a bargain.

Laymance Real Estate Co.
1214-1216 BROADWAY, OAKLAND.

Taylor Bros. & Company
REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE.
1236 Broadway. Phone Oakland 950.

An Elegant Home

$4200

This property, situated in one of the classiest residence districts in Oakland, elevated nicely, one block to car line, two stories, 6 large rooms and conveniences, barn and driveway; house only 3 years old, 7 minutes to 12th and Broadway; best of car service; owner leaving city. (6726)

Cozy Bungalow

$4500

This handsome 6-room residence is one of the coziest modern houses in Linda Vista; one-half block to car; swell home surrounding; lot 40x150; red rock driveway, automobile barn, etc.; must be sold.

Investment

$4600

Elegant 6-room flats; these are beauties; only 3 years old; very commanding in appearance; fine view; large lot, 40x130; finest residence section in Oakland; income $660 per year; mortgage $2500 can stand; must be sold.

Special Investment

$12,000

Guaranteed annual income of $1800; half cash, balance 6 per cent net; guaranteed income on actual cash investment $1475; close in, best investment for income in Oakland.

Taylor Bros. & Co.
Residence phones—Merritt 3661 and Merritt 3623.

40th & San Pablo Avenue
$40.00

Lot 35-foot frontage; street work all done; one block from Key Route station. Fine location for flats.

28th Street Buy
$2500.00

Six-room cottage, shed and driveway. Convenient to street cars and in a fine location.

Another One on 36th St.

Six-room cottage, high basement, modern plumbing. Price $3150. For a quick sale.

A Good Investment
$12,000.00

Six 3-room flats, located on lot 40x145; in a fine location; fitted up with patent wall beds, linoleum and gas ranges in kitchen. All rented at a monthly rental of $130 per month. Satisfactory terms can be arranged.

A Genuine Pick-up

No reasonable offer refused for this choice property; lot 50x100; within arm's reach of this office. Improvements on the place now pay the expenses. Inspect this as this is a genuine bargain.

F. A. Will, 476 10th St.
OAKLAND.

$5200—4 Modern flats, 6 and 7 rooms; lot 50x150; all street work done; 1 blk. to 2 car lines; rent $100.

$4250—2 new modern flats, 4 rooms each; near Key Route; lot 40x100.

$3500—A modern 5-room cottage; lot 30x168; on car line, and fronts on 2 streets.

$2850—2-story house of 8 rooms and bath; lot 50x160; mill and tank; street work done; near 23d ave. station.

$2800—New modern 5-room cottage; cor. lot 40x100; 2 blocks to cars.

HUGH M. CAMERON,
1058 Broadway.

FOR SALE Cheap—Lot, 50x206x218, with small 3-room unfurnished cottage; fine garden soil; wood to last several years; near creek; must be sold by March 30, easy terms. See place and make offer; price $1300. 2803 Persimmon st., Fruitvale.

FIRST ave., east side, north of E. 12th st.—33 1-3 or 66 2-3 by 110, $75 per foot. 250 feet of switch track frontage, $16 per foot.

DU RAY SMITH, 1016 Broadway.

TO close an estate, flats yielding 18 per cent. Box 11 733, Tribune.

REAL ESTATE.

Special Bargains in Lots

$1150.

Fine high lot on Fairview ave., east of Shattuck; street work done; short distance from car line. Owner will build a 5-room cottage to suit and sell on easy terms; $500 cash; lot 35x102. Investigate this. (9)

$2250.

One of the swellest lots in Fourth Ave. Terrace, being a fine corner; street work done, car line a few blocks away; 50x125. (13)

For Sale in Cottages

$1500.

Cottage of 7 rooms, situated on lot 25x135, on 11th st., near Wood. This place has been newly painted and the plumbing is modern, porcelain tub, etc. It is now rented for $18 per month and is a good investment, being in the call section of the S. P.; $500 cash, balance easy payments. See us at once. (6)

$1950.

Five-room cottage, on Linden st., between 44th and 45th, on lot 30x100. This place is 10 years old, but in perfect repair; $200 down and $20 per month, including interest, will purchase the same. (16)

$3000.

$300 cash, balance like rent; 5-room bungalow, modern and up-to-date in every respect; open fireplace, built-in sideboard; situated on lot 33x100; within easy walking distance of Key Route station and 15 minutes of 12th and Broadway. This is an artistic little home. Get full particulars. (23)

$3500.

$1000 cash, $40 per month, will buy a dandy little 5-room bungalow on a fine northeast corner lot. This place has just been completed and was built for a home. Owner forced to sell. (10)

$4000.

Six-room modern bungalow, on one of the finest residential streets in Linda Vista; lot 32x132. This residence is not in the hollow, but is situated on high ground; $1000 cash, $40 per month will buy this elegant home. (6)

Flats at a Sacrifice

$4000.

$1000 cash, balance $40 per month, will buy a pair of flats of 5 rooms each, in North Oakland, near the Key Route station and the Telegraph ave. car line. These flats bring in a monthly rental of $45 and are in a good renting location, on the east side of street; plenty of sun and light. They cost $4300 to build. See us at once. (5)

$5700.

$1000 down, balance like rent, 5 and 6-room flats, on 35th st., near Telegraph ave. These flats are situated on lot 30x120, and are brand new. Worth $6500. Owner forced to sell. (8)

$6000.

Five and six-room flats, on a beautiful terraced northeast corner lot, two blocks from Key Route station and car line. These flats are new, beamed ceilings, paneled walls, hardwood floors, open fireplaces and artistic electric fixtures. They bring in a monthly rental of $60. Let us show you this bargain and submit us your terms. (7)

HOLCOMB REALTY CO.
(INVESTOR OF CAPITAL),
306 San Pablo ave., Oakland, Cal.

A. J. SNYDER
901 BROADWAY

$600

Less than real value; new roomy bungalow on Chestnut street, near 30th; five rooms and bath, lot 35x132; original price $3250, price now $2650.

$2650

Another good bargain in West Oakland, $3000 place for $2650, seven room and bath and barn; lot 35x130; on 8th st.

$3650

Splendid new cottage home on 38th st., near Grove st.; 5 rooms and bath; close to school, cars and Key Route station; a real bargain.

$5750

This Orange st. home on a beautiful corner: lot 50x114; 7 rooms and bath and basement; to be sold at once on easy terms. Don't miss a good chance

A. J. SNYDER
901 Broadway

Hayden-Bright Company
1232 BROADWAY.
PHONES—OAKLAND 214; A-3014.

$4000

$750 cash, $30 monthly; beautiful and new 6-room bungalow; south frontage; on good car line and 4 minute' walk to Key Route at Piedmont and 40th st.; lot 35x100. (2440)

$3500

$500 cash, $35 a month; new and modern 5-room cottage, high basement; open fireplace. This cottage is located on 52d st., near Telegraph ave. Car men take notice of this. (2250)

$3500

$1000 cash, $30 a month; beautiful new 5-room cottage, conveniently located to Key Route station and Shattuck ave. car line; lot 40x112. (2346)

$3000

$300 cash, $30 a month; well made up-to-date cottage of 5 rooms and bath, specially nice, on Alleen st., near Grove; only 2 blocks to Key Route station. (2376)

$2650

$200 cash, $25 a month; nice new 4-room cottage, on Howe st., 2 blocks to Piedmont Key Route station; lot 25x125. (2612)

$2100

Needs the money. Pair of new 4-room flats, near De Fremery Park; the building alone is worth the price asked; easily rented for $32 per month; lot 25x104. (2600)

Consult us for choice building lots.

Business Properties

New store, with rooms in rear and modern flat above; a NE. corner on Market st., rents $60 per month; price $6500, mortgage $2000. (37)

Store and bay window flat of 4 rooms, on B st.; lot 25x100; will rent for $25; price $1750; only $500 cash; a fine buy for a party who wishes tostart in business. (37

Small Payments

6 room cottage on Maple st.; rented for $15 per month; lot 35x65; price $1600; $600 cash. (37)

6 room modern cottage in Piedmont, on Woodland ave.; lot 40x80; irregular; price $4000; $500 cash, balance $30 per month. (37)

6 room Queen Anne house, Union near 30th; barn in rear; lot 25x133; price $2500; $350 cash. (36)

3 room bungalow; 8th near Stanford ave., lot 35x100; price $1300; $200 cash. (36)

Johnson & Carroll
San Pablo ave. and 40th st

$500.00 PROFIT TO YOU

We have an exclusive contract on a new 1½ story house on lot 25x90, three blocks from Idora Park, 1 block from Key Route station, house is newly completed, lacking only electric fixtures, tinting and second coat of paint, and has now 6 rooms, 3 up and 3 downstairs, modern plumbing, bath, pantry, concrete foundation, wired for electricity, street work done, etc.; will sell to you at cost of lot and lumber. It will take about $250 to complete it. If after seeing this you do not buy, you are not in the market. Price $2100, $900 cash, balance flat mortgage.

M. T. Minney Company
1259 Broadway.

I WANT to invest $10,000 to $25,000 in business property—no higher; also 8-room residence on elevation, not over $7500; terms cash; no objection to reliable agents, but prefer principals; give price and location or approximate location; must be good now or have good future. Box 11730, Tribune.

REAL ESTATE.

Taylor Bros. & Co.

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE.
1236 Broadway. Phone Oakland 950.

$2200—New cottage of 6 rooms, built expressly for convenience; fine car service; elegant surroundings; lot 50x162; house cost over $2000; a great bargain. (5729)

An Elegant Home

$4200—This property situated in one of the classiest residence districts in Oakland; elevated nicely; one block to car line; two stories, 6 large rooms and conveniences; barn and driveway; house only 3 years old; 7 minutes to 12th and Broadway; best of car service, owner leaving city. (5726)

Investments

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Special investment

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Taylor Bros. & Co.
Residence phones—Merritt 3661 and Merritt 3623.

FOR SALE

$3200

Here is a chance for you if you want a home at bargain prices and easy terms. Large yard, well filled with roses and other plants. Two-story cottage and cement basement, situated on high ground in most desirable part of East Oakland. Owner going East and must sell. Has always been occupied by owner and is in first-class condition.

$3200

On 58th st., west of Shattuck; a nice 7-room modern house, with large, deep lot, containing plenty of berries, chicken house and yard. Independent water system, with 3000-gallon tank and mill.

$3650

At 1621 9th st., 9-room house, on lot 30x120, which rents for $35. Look at this as owner lives out of town and is not watching West Oakland. $1650 cash, balance 8 per cent gross.

$2700

New bungalow of 5 rooms, bath and large reception hall; lot 50x100. Situated in very best part of Elmhurst, near San Leandro. Fine view of bay and mountain. Cement sidewalks, macadamized street, sewer, water, gas and electricity. Only 2 blocks from street car. This is an exceptional bargain. Can be had on easy terms, $500 down and balance small monthly payments.

RIEDEL, TROWBRIDGE & WRIGHT, Inc.
1306 BROADWAY.

Investments

$1000—Lot 40x125; on the heights; street work complete, half cash.

$30 per front foot—200 feet in Peralta Heights, sunny home sites.

HOMES

$2500—New modern cottage; 5 rooms and bath; 13th ave., near schools, trains, etc.

$3150—Two flats of 3 rooms and bath each; 25th and Grove sts. Income $32.50 per month.

$3150—Flats, 5 rooms and bath each; on Market st.; close in; income $30 per month.

$6500—Store and 5 rooms; also flats of 4 and 5 rooms each; business section; income $70 per month; low rent; easy terms.

$10,000—Elegant new flats, 4 flats; up-to-date; Adams Point district; income $120 per month. See this.

$13,500—22 flats, 3 and 4 rooms each; near S. P. shops; income $30,030 per annum. How's this for investment.

I HAVE A LARGE LIST TO SELECT FROM. SEE ME BEFORE BUYING.

HUGH M. CAMERON
1058 Broadway

Fine Lot
Fairmont Heights
$2400.00

This lot is just the right location for a fine home. It is 50x110, and owner refused $2500 only a short time ago. It is worth $3000. Let me show it to you.

WE HAVE OTHERS.

Jas. S. Naismith
Central Court, BACON BUILDING.

BONNIE BRAE

HAYWARD'S BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE PARK; EVERY LOT A BEARING FAMILY ORCHARD; STREET WORK AND SIDEWALKS DONE; CITY WATER, ELECTRIC LIGHT AND TELEPHONE NOW INSTALLED. LARGE LOTS, 50x137, FOR $400; YOUR TERMS ARE MINE; REASONABLE BUILDING RESTRICTIONS; 20 MINUTES' WALK FROM ELECTRIC CARS. SMALL RANCHES, ACREAGE AND TOWN PROPERTIES FOR SALE, RENT AND EXCHANGE. C. L. LITTLE, OWNER, 527 CASTRO ST., HAYWARD

LOOK AT THIS!

$2450—Nearly new cottage of 5 rooms and bath, on sunny side of Santa Fe ave., close to Key Route and S. P. R. R. stations; only half cash necessary. (6436)

CLOSE TO FRUITVALE.

$2500—Very desirable lot, 112x388. Suitable for chicken ranch.

Good small house, windmill and tank; lot fenced; several large trees; one block to electric cars; can be subdivided; terms can be arranged.

$3500—A well-built, 2-story house; 2 baths; all in good condition; rooms in the high basement, gas throughout; 2 blocks of local train, 5 minutes' walk to business center; this is certainly a sacrifice for a quick sale.

GEO. W. AUSTIN, 1018 BROADWAY.

Executrix's Sale of Real Estate

Nice 4-room cottage, No. 916 Kirkham st., ½ block to 8th st. car line and close to S. P. local depot. Lot 25x115; title clear. Key at No. 950 Kirkham st. Leave bids at office of W. E. Rode, attorney for Executrix, 251-252 Bacon Block, Oakland.

FURNISHED BUNGALOW SNAPS

$1500—3-room bungalow on terraced corner lot 35x105; high ground; street is one of best in town, with 10-minute car service; owner leaves in 10 days for Seattle. Box 5401, Tribune.

LARGE lot, 2 blocks from depot and car line, covered with 12 large cherry and apricot trees, lot 40x145, with cement sidewalks, sewer, water, gas and macadamized streets; price $600, on which I have paid $150; balance payable $7.50 per month; will sell my interest for $75; out of work, no funds. Box 10,357, Tribune.

WOULD YOU BUILD IF YOU HAD A LOT?

I have one, 40x100, high ground, street work done, fine view; close to car line; desirable in every way; 20 minutes from 14th and Broadway, in Oakland. No cash down, small monthly payment. Isn't it worth investigating?

Address Owner, Box 11726, Tribune.

$300 DOWN and $35 a month for a 5-room cottage with beam ceilings and rock pillars; everything modern and complete; 2 blocks from 55th-st Key Route; price $3000. Address 1420 Broadway.

LOOKING for investment? See fine income property. 364½ 10th st.

FRUITVALE REAL ESTATE.

Beautiful Boulevard Park

bordering on the Scenic Boulevard, in Fruitvale, and only a short distance east of Fruitvale ave. Every lot well drained and the streets the best in the county. All work complete.

NEW ELECTRIC CAR LINE RUNNING THROUGH THE TRACT EVERY 20 MINUTES, CONNECTING WITH ALL CARS AT EAST 14TH STREET.

First-class service and regular 5c fare to Oakland, Alameda or Berkeley.

A COMMUNITY OF HOMES, ONE OF THE FEW RESTRICTED ADDITIONS IN TOWN, insuring a good class of houses and a fine neighborhood. FINE HIGH GROUND, MAGNIFICENT VIEW. EVERY IMPROVEMENT IN and PAID FOR. FINE HOMES IN THIS ADDITION.

LOTS 50x150 for $600 and upwards, according to location. 10 PER CENT DOWN and balance on easy terms.

Building restrictions $1500.

How to Get There

Take Melrose, San Leandro or Hayward cars; transfer to Liese avenue (2 blocks past Fruitvale) and ride 2 blocks to the property.

Key Route has a proposed extension to run alongside of Boulevard Park, meaning a one-fare trip to San Francisco.

The Southern Pacific is contemplating the construction of an electric line that will also run contiguous to this tract and increase the value of property at least 50 per cent.

Call and see this property before buying elsewhere. No Mongolians need apply.

S. S. AUSTIN

1101 TWENTY-THIRD AVENUE, EAST OAKLAND.
Phone Merritt 10.
Branch office, Liese ave. and Boulevard. Phone Merritt 3484.

For Fruitvale Bargains SEE
Home Investment Co.

$2800—$500 down and the balance like rent, buys this new and strictly up-to-date cottage, 5 large rooms and bath, pantry, large closets, wash room, good basement; everything complete, water, gas and sewer all connected; immediate possession given; choice location; restricted neighborhood; lot 40x120; street work and walks done; one block of 2 car lines. Stop paying rent.

$2900—A modern cottage of 5 rooms and bath, gas and electricity; good basement; lot 50x150, 14 fruit trees, 2-room building in rear; terms $1000 down and balance like rent.

$3100—Elegant new and modern cottage, 5 rooms and bath; extra large living room, beautiful chandeliers, large kitchen and pantry; good basement, thoroughly and substantially built, large lot; street work and walks complete; easy terms.

$3300—Beautiful home, 6 large rooms; new and modern; elegantly finished; lot 45x110; good elevation, superb view, near 2 car lines; be sure and investigate this.

$2350—New and modern cottage, 5 rooms and bath, high basement; lot 30x151; street work done; one block of car; convenient to locals; easy terms.

$2300—Elegant new and modern cottage, 4 large rooms and bath, large living room, 2 bedrooms; lot 40x160, full bearing fruit trees; sunny side of street; easy terms

WE HAVE MANY OTHERS, TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION AT THIS TIME. COME AND LOOK OVER OUR LIST.

Special Lot

$475—Beautiful lots, 40x120; very easy terms; no interest or taxes. Apply

Home Investment Co.
1922 FRUITVALE AVE., CORNER OLD COUNTY ROAD.

Wadsworth Realty Co.

1228 Fruitvale ave. Phone Merritt 476.

$1700—New modern cottage, 3 rooms and bath; lot 30x135; 1 block from street cars, 2 blocks from local station; $300 cash, $20 per month.

$2300—New modern high basement cottage, 6 rooms and bath, gas and electric fixtures; lot 30x151; $300 cash, $25 per month.

$2150—New modern cottage, 5 rooms and bath, gas and electricity; lot 30x100; near street cars and local station; $350 cash, $20 per month.

$2800—Modern 5-room cottage, in fine locality; 1 block from street cars; $500 cash, $30 per month.

$2650—A fine investment; modern 5-room cottage, with 10-foot basement; corner lot 40x131; on street car line, $1650 cash; mortgage $1000, interest 7 per cent.

$2100—New modern 5-room bungalow, lot 30x100; fine locality; near street cars and local station, will tint to suit purchaser; $300 cash, $20 per month.

A FULL half acre at the head of Fruitvale ave., covered with choice bearing fruit trees, bargain at $750 cash, $750 mortgage. Box 10,380, Tribune.

PROPERTY TO EXCHANGE.

EXCHANGES

Alameda County

10 acres, half orchard; new 5-room dwelling. Will exchange for stock ranch. Price $10,000.

6 1-5 acres, set to young trees; 5-room house, horse, buggy, cow, chickens, barn, incubator, brooder, etc.; mortgage of $800 can remain. Price $3300.

30¼ acres; 10 acres orchard and vineyard; 2 acres eucalyptus, balance garden and hay land. Good house and outbuildings; lots of spring water; near school, good income. Mortgage of $3000 can remain. Price $10,000.

San Benito County

30-acre fruit ranch in Thermal belt. Beautiful scenery, well protected from winds; ideal climate. French and silver prunes, apricots and English walnuts, irrigating plant and dryer complete. Place netted $4600 a year ago. eReturns not in from last crop. Owner selling because of age. Price $18,000. Will exchange for business property.

Sanoma County

15 acres; 9 acres fruit; 12-room modern house, nicely furnished chickens, etc. Can hire work done and make over $1000 per year. Everything goes except horses, $11,000.

San Joaquin County

165 acres, west of Turlock, on Santa Fe. Better than Lodi land for grapes. Good house, barn, chicken houses, etc., hog-tight fence. Will take part in trade, balance cash.

37 acres, all in bearing grapes, at Lodi; best table grape section of State. Will sell or exchange as a whole or in acreage. Call for price and particulars.

Santa Cruz County

150 acres, on the "27"-mile drive from San Jose; 30 acres cleared, balance timber. Close to Interurban line and is a desirable summer camp. $3200.

Mendocino County

220 acres, 3 miles from Willits. Good pasture and fruit land, with lots of tan bark and good milling timber; $8000. Will take $1000 cash and balance property or property and mortgage. No failures of crops.

Sutter County

136 acres; all level; ideal for alfalfa without irrigating; part is seeded; 2 good houses, large tank house, 4-hp. engine, etc., $16,000.

Napa County

1760 acres, 600 level, balance rolling; all good grazing and grain land; 150 acres good for alfalfa; 9-room hard-finished house, with barns, shops, etc., as used on a large stock ranch. Large living stream through entire place; fenced into 8 fields. Exchange for good income city property; $35,000.

Acreage For Sale

We have acreage for subdivision or for small homes, ranging from $250 up, in Alameda county.

RIEDEL, TROWBRIDGE & WRIGHT, Inc.
1306 BROADWAY.

FRUITVALE AND MELROSE REAL ESTATE.

$1250

Four-room high-basement bungalow; lot 50x287; 10 minutes' walk to car line; $650 cash, balance flat loan; interest paid to August, 1909

Only $300 Cash

Four-room high-basement cottage, gas, electricity, bath, pantry, large closets; price $2100; monthly payments $25; close to East 14th st. car line and local.

$3000, Terms

On lot 35x100; a nice 2-story home of 7 rooms and bath; exceptionally fine closets; close to car line and local.

We are agents for Melrose Heights, Fruitvale Boulevard Tract and many other lots, improved and unimproved. See our lot list before buying.

S. A. Plesants
Cor. East 14th St. and Liese Ave. (38th Ave.)
PHONE MERRITT 21.
CLOSED SUNDAYS.

UPPER FRUITVALE BARGAINS

$2,100—New 4-room cottage, bath; barn; city water; lot 50x140; $900, balance mortgage; new Key Route will pass door.

$3,250—Cottage, 5 rooms, bath, gas; lot 50x150, on Fruitvale-ave. car line, surrounded by beautiful homes; part cash; bargain, Eastern owner.

$3,400—2-story residence, 7 rooms, bath, gas; carriage house, lot 50x185; fruit trees, 2 frontages; ½ cash.

$4,250—New corner cottage on Fruitvale ave.; bath, gas, electric light; high basement; large lot; terms.

$3,250—Lot on Fruitvale ave.; 78x150; 3-room cottage; young orchard; sewered; city water.

RANDALL R. E. CO.,
3126 Fruitvale ave.

Fruitvale Bargains

Choice corner on Fruitvale ave.; beautiful home of 5 extra large rooms, finished in fine style, if you want a home in Fruitvale don't fail to see us about this property; price only $4250.

$1400—$600 down; reduced from $1900; extra good 4-room and basement, 50-foot lot; a rare bargain.

$2000—$800 down; lovely corner, 5 rooms and bath; just finished; gas and electric lights, south front; close to Fruitvale ave.

CENTRAL REALTY CO.
2712 FRUITVALE AVE.

CHOICE RESIDENCE LOT.

In one of the best sections around Fruitvale; close to cars and local; good elevation; fine view of bay; close to schools and an ideal home site; 10 per cent cash, balance only $2 per week, no interest or taxes for two years.

WESTERN INVESTMENT CO.,
3412 E. 14th st., cor. 34th ave.,
Fruitvale, Cal.

FOR SALE—Five-room cottage; open fireplace, china closet, bath; lot 30x110; sunny exposure; cement walks; right in town; a bargain. Call 1631 Bridge ave., off 36th ave., Fruitvale.

PROPERTY TO EXCHANGE.

AN ideal income home in best part of Santa Clara valley, 10 acres in full bearing assorted fruit. Peaches, apricots and prunes; family orchard. Fine improvements; want home in North Oakland; must be modern. $5000 to $6000. Box 5402, Tribune.

EXCHANGE—Residence, 7 rooms; large lot; fine neighborhood; very healthy; 2 blocks from Lake Merritt and cars; walking distance 12th and Broadway; will take lot or lots part payment, balance long time flat loan. Inquire 4 Wayne ave.

EXCHANGE for unimproved or flats, new 7-room house, 2-story, on corner lot; $3300. Box 11772, Tribune.

FINE Oakland income property, $6000, 12 per cent, to exchange for country home. Box 11734, Tribune.

PROPERTY for exchange in Alameda county; we have some clever bargains; can always suit. L. E. Grimm & Co., Fitchburg. Phone Merritt 555.

SWELL 4-room and basement; finished right up to date; will accept a lot as first payment. Apply to owner, 2712 Fruitvale ave.

TO EXCHANGE—Lot 50.6x125, with 16 room house, modern, three floors, located in good district in Oakland; convenient to everything; price $6500, $3250 can remain at $60 per month including interest at 8 per cent gross; will exchange equity for a good cottage, clear, in Oakland or Alameda. D. F. Minney, 422 11th st.

WILL exchange for business income property, either in Oakland or San Francisco, a full-bearing orchard in Santa Clara valley; fine modern improvements; personal property goes with place; exchange on cash basis; value $40,000. Sieber & Hippell, 290 Bacon building, Oakland.

WILL exchange business property, valued at $8500 and bringing in $100 monthly, for residence and unimproved property. What have you to offer?

Have you any sum of money available for loan on good real estate security? F. F. Porter, 466 8th st.

WILL trade 5-room hard-finish house, tankhouse, windmill, barn and 6 lots for property in Oakland. Address Mr. C. C. Peterson, Wallace, Cal.

WILL exchange brand-new Studebaker touring car for improved real estate in Oakland or Berkeley. Owner, 881 53d st. Phone Piedmont 4111.

PROPERTY WANTED.

WHEN some one, who wants to buy a lot, looks—your ad. should be "THERE."

BERKELEY or Alameda cottage wanted in exchange for new flats. Box 11735, Tribune.

WHAT have you for sale? I have clients with ready cash to buy genuine bargains. F. A. Will, 476 10th st.

WHEN the home-hunter begins to read the ads, yours should be "THERE."

ARCHITECTS.

AT PLANNING bungalows we economize; send 25c for 32-plan design book. Art Bungalow Co., P. O. box 264, Oakland.

DE VERE V. DEUEL, architect, 578 8th st., Oakland; phones Oak. 3244, Home A4244.

DIAMONDS WANTED.

HIGHEST prices paid for diamonds and old gold. Shoenfeld & Co., 40 San Pablo.

REAL ESTATE.

ADAMS POINT BARGAINS
Euclid Avenue Near Adams St.

$2000—50x140; worth $50 per foot; half cash.

Euclid Avenue Near Palm

$3250—50x1.. ; worth $80 per foot; best part of tract. Might shade his price a little.

The Best Buy in Adams Point

$2750 Bellevue ave., only 500 feet from Grand ave.; west frontage; above grade perfect drainage. Adjoining lot held at $3250.

LINDA VISTA

$1900—45x1.. Only a few blocks from 40th st. Key Route, elegant marine view all street work complete; one block from car line.

Perkins Smith Company
1.. TELEGRAPH AVE
Phones—Oakland 3500, A-3500

BERKELEY REAL ESTATE.

BARGAIN Modern bungalow 50x135; terms $2..0. 2323 8th st., West Berkeley Owner.

I. L. GRAINGER & CO

$3150—FIVE-ROOM cottage; lot 40x125; $500 cash balance $25 per month near station.

Lot on Telegraph ave.; east frontage; near Idora Park, $65 per front foot.

$650—Lot two blocks east of South Berkeley station; street work and sidewalks complete; snap; owner needs money.

$3650—A beautiful up-to-date cottage, 5 rooms; large lot; 1½ block east of Lorin station; easy terms.

I. L. GRAINGER & CO.,
3260 Adeline st., South Berkeley.
Open Sundays.

IF you are looking for a genuine snap investigate this today; 1½-story cottage of 6 rooms, bath, etc.; lot ..x122; on Harper street, near Ashby, price $3150; $800 mortgage can remain or be increased. See it today or you may be too late. Phone Berkeley 249 for particulars.

C. L. HEDEMARK
3304 Adeline st., South Berkeley.

2909 OTIS, 1 block from Ashby station—4 rooms with bath, high, large basement, barn, chicken house, $..50, with terms to suit.

ALAMEDA REAL ESTATE.

MODERN four room bungalow in Alameda, bath, best of plumbing, double floors, gas and electricity; lot 35 by 190; separate storehouse and wire enclosed chicken yards, a bargain if sold at once, no agents need apply. Owner, 1918 Mulberry st., Alameda.

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Only 9 Lots Left

Good sized and close to railroads, schools and stores.

$125 Each

On Easy Terms.

Located in Elmhurst, where property is held at a much higher figure.

BEN WILSON

San Leandro road, between Michigan and Grand aves., Elmhurst.

MELROSE REAL ESTATE.

$1700—$250 CASH and $20 per month; 4-room cottage, with large lot and fruit trees.

Fine building lot in Melrose 1 block to high school, price $600 cash; 30x120.

To exchange—200-acre ranch, in Sonoma county; fine improvements; will trade for rentable property.

J. ..ny Smith Co., 4632 E. 14th st.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

Beautiful Del Monte

CHOICEST SUMMER AND WINTER RESORT ON PACIFIC COAST. CHOICE LOT CHEAP IN DEL MONTE HEIGHTS, TO MAKE SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE MATTER; LOT IN BLOCK 25. SEE MAP. ADDRESS J. C. ARNOLD, 243 OREGON ST., BERKELEY.

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Glenn County

20-acre tracts, adjoining Germantown; sedimentary loam soil, 14 feet deep, underlaid with a fine water-bearing gravel stratum.

FREE WATER RIGHT

FREE IRRIGATION SYSTEM.

This is the best soil in the State for alfalfa, berries, garden truck and fruits of all kinds

NO FLOODS.
NO ALKALI.
NO ADOBE.
NO HARDPAN.

Only a few tracts at our opening price of $75 per acre, including irrigation system.

Small amount down, balance easy terms. Come in and talk it over.

Patten Land Company
601 First National Bank Building

GOVERNMENT lands, homestead and desert, $2.50 an acre; alfalfa, fruit and grain. Pacific Land Co., 1.. Bacon block, Oakland.

LAND YOU WILL BUY IF YOU LOOK AT IT.

40 acres of the richest golden soil, only a mile and a half from business center of Hayward, in the beautiful Castro Valley. Can be purchased in tracts to suit. Terms can be arranged to suit all. Land in this vicinity is selling for nearly twice what we are asking. Do not miss this rare opportunity to get a snap.

Call or address H. Houston, 55.. 18th st., Oakland, Cal., care Builders' Exchange.

OWN A RANCH AND BE INDEPENDENT.

We have some beautiful income ranch property to exchange for improved property, well located in either Berkeley or Oakland.

EUGENE L. BROCK & CO.,
2121 Shattuck ave. Phone Berkeley 1404.
COUNTRY DEPARTMENT.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

A SPLENDID well-built 4-room and bath cottage, with high basement, near 51st ave., Melrose; modern in every respect; all improvements in; will sell for $2200 and take $400 cash, balance like rent; must be sold this week. Box 11,772, Tribune.

A NICELY furnished house of .. rooms, modern; all conveniences; lot 30x125; beautifully laid out; sold on account of leaving city; no agents need answer. For particulars address Box 6..3, Tribune.

A SNAP—House and 3 lots; must be sold Monday at a sacrifice; owner must go away. 75x100; cottage, 4 rooms, bath, 6-foot basement. 4611 Bellevue ave., Melrose.

ATTRACTIVE 5 room bungalow, just completed on Taylor ave., .et. 9th and 10th sts., Alameda, to be sold on terms; lot 50x148; open for inspection.

A 7-ROOM furnished house; 3 boarders; 1 housekeeping room, pay half rent; for sale; no agents, rent reasonable. Piedmont 923.

ADAMS Point bungalow; new; .. rooms; hardwood floors; see this before you buy; terms; Oakland ave. car. Owner, 320 Adams st.

A GOOD 5-room cottage and high basement, on Kirkham st.; large lot 35x120; room for driveway; price $2250. Owner, 1170 7th st., near Adeline, Oakland.

BARGAIN if sold this week owner leaving city; new 5 room cottage, bath, gas, electricity, high basement, lot 33.3x100; one block from car; 12 minutes to 12th and Broadway, $2..00; $850 cash balance $20 month; 6 per cent interest. Call 1028 East 20th .., East Oakland, 18th st., Fruitvale car.

BEAUTIFUL 7-room bungalow; attractive exterior, enchanting interior; large mantel, cove ceilings and paneled throughout, on 59th st., 200 feet east of Telegraph ave., 2 blocks from Key Route; $1000 cash, balance ... builder, 5901 Canning st., Oakland.

HOUSES FOR SALE. (Continued.)

AAAA—

Make 33 1-3% on the Investment

Come today and see this beautiful house, that must and will be sold in the next 3 days. You can buy it at such a price that you will clear $1500 inside of 60 days. If you do not want to use it as a home for yourself.

A bungalow of 6 large, beautiful rooms, on a lot 65x125; grounds in high state of cultivation; fine driveway. All cement work is of the best in walks and driveway. The inside finish of this home is very fine. The location is all that could be desired; the view is grand of Oakland, San Francisco bay and the foothills. The neighborhood the very best in every respect; school within 2 blocks, 10 minutes to 12th and Broadway. Take 4th ave. car, get off at Lowell ave. and you will be within half block of this home. No 70, east side Lowell ave. If you can't come Sunday and see this home, come Monday, or telephone Oakland 4455.

BUNGALOW for sale at a sacrifice; must sell this week; 5 rooms and bath; never been occupied; pine finish; one-panel doors; cement walks and lawns; complete; no agents; price $2650. Owner and builder, Piedmont 1350.

Bungalow for Sale

Price $5250; new, modern, Mission type. Will take good located lot as part payment, Adams Point or Claremont district. Apply J. Cather Newsom, 78 Bacon bldg.

DON'T pay rent. If you have $900 cash you can make the first payment on a practically new 5-room modern cottage; balance can be paid at the rate of $30 per month, $17 of which is interest; interest decreases monthly; gas range, instantaneous heater and linoleum in place. Call between 11 a. m. and 2 p. m. at 4331 Howe st.

FOR SALE—A bargain for some one who wants a modern cottage, 6 rooms, completely furnished, in an advancing locality; corner lot 80x132; close to car lines; windmill, barns and chicken houses; fine garden, fruit and shade trees, a beautiful home. Inquire room 90, Bacon block.

FOR SALE—Modern 1½-story house, 6 rooms and bath; natural wood finish inside; everything up-to-date; situated 1866 13th ave., near 28th st. terminus 8th ave. car line. Apply 675 26th st., East Oakland.

FOR SALE—Modern 6-room cottage, 2½ blocks from Key Route station, 40th st. and Piedmont ave.; all improvements; street work complete; a snap. Box 11,777, Tribune.

FOR SALE—$2675 cash will buy a $3300 modern bungalow, 5 rooms and bath; lot 35x134; must be sold at once; mortgage of $1000 at 6 per cent can stand. F. W. Stromberg & Son, 468 11th st.

FOR SALE—New cottage, pine finish, modern improvements, walking distance from town, good locality, $3650, reduced from $4000; terms if desired. Owner at 2046 Linden st

FOR SALE—4-room cottage; large lot; rear car line; $300 down, balance on easy terms; must be sold. Phone Oakland 3673 or call at 1513 9th st.

FOR SALE—New cottage, pine finish; all modern improvements, $3650; reduced from $4000; terms if desired. Owner, Box 10390, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Beautiful bungalow in fine neighborhood, $250 cash, or make offer; balance as rent. No interest. Inquire, 505 17th st., Oakland.

FOR SALE—High-basement house, 5 rooms upstairs, 5 down; gas, electricity and plumbing; reasonable. 879 53d st.

Great Sacrifice

Reduced from $4000 to $3500; 6-room high-basement cottage, fine large lot 45x125; easily made into flats; this cottage is in the Santa Fe tract; finest tract in Oakland. Inquire 5401 Grove st., or phone Piedmont 2126.

Great Bargain

Two fine new cottages near Telegraph, inside of 40th st. Owner, 700 39th st.

HERE is a chance for you if you want a home at bargain prices and easy terms; large yard, well-filled with roses and other plants; two-story cottage and cement basement; situated on high ground in most desirable part of East Oakland; owner going East and must sell; has always been occupied by owner and is in first-class condition. Phone Merritt 2910.

MUST BE SOLD BEFORE MARCH 15.

$1250—Three rooms, bath and pantry; modern finish; lot 40x130; close to school and cars, part cash, balance $10 per month. Helmer st., 250 feet east of Lincoln ave., Dimond, Upper Fruitvale.

NEW 5-room bungalow; hardwood floors, cabinet kitchen, sun room; ideal home; deal with owner, 1734 11th ave. Merritt 2486.

ON terms to suit, 5 and 6 room cottage; gas and electric fixtures; paneled and beam ceiling; the most complete home for convenience; terms; price, location is right; Rose st., 1 block east of Telegraph, 2 blocks Key Route station, Claremont district. Key 432 Rose st. Deal with owner.

Read This

$2400 cash, $2500 time, new cottage in Fruitvale, 4 large rooms and bath, lot 60 feet by 180, all fenced, chicken houses, etc., 5 minutes to car. Address Box 10397 Tribune, or call at 3019 Persimmon st. Take E. 14th st. car to Leise ave., transfer and go to end of line, walk down to left.

SNAP.

A new up-to-date home, adjoining Fourth Avenue Terrace; 5 rooms and bath; modern; lot 35x107; all improvements in; now rented, but can get possession in 60 days. Will sacrifice for $2750; only $400 down, balance $30 per month, including interest. Box 10,403, Tribune.

SAVE that rent—$200 cash gives you possession of an artistic 5 room bungalow, complete in every detail; open fireplace, built-in sideboard, tinted walls, large veranda, lot 33x100; close to cars and Key Route; balance can be paid on easy terms; get full particulars. Box 11463, Tribune.

SIX-ROOM house, new, modern. Phone Merritt 3205. Owner.

TERMS—Five rooms and bath; built for a home; 4 blocks from 23d ave. station; lot 35x140, under cultivation; price $3350. Address box 1247, Tribune; no agents.

$2650—OWNER will sell on very easy terms; new, up-to-date bungalow; most artistic design; homelike and built for comfort and convenience; fine living room with fireplace; 2 large bedrooms, dining room, kitchen, bath room with porcelain lined tub; toilet, laundry, pantry; street work finished; cement sidewalk; sewer, gas, electricity; close to cars. Room 206, 1102 Broadway.

$600 CASH and $8 monthly will buy new 4 room modern cottage; near local; 8 minutes to Broadway; price $1600; will give deed upon first payment; this cottage rents steady for $16. Owner, 3104 Belmont, Fruitvale.

$3500—FOR sale by owner; 5-room cottage and sleeping porch; also cottage in rear of lot, renting for $12 per month; lot 50x125; reduced from $4000; terms. Inquire 275 Bacon bldg., or phone Merritt 2676.

$150 DOWN; 4-room strictly modern new cottage; one and a half blocks of 5c fare to San Francisco, block of street car; balance easy Box 10362, Tribune.

5-ROOM cottage, north side 58th st., 30x100; good well, barn; in good shape; new street and sidewalk. Inquire 572 63d st., Oakland.

$7500—GOOD 10-room house; Linden st., near 8th; lot 70x156; terms if desired. Anderson & Son, 1306 7th st.

$5000—A BARGAIN—8-room house on Broadway; lot 71x100. See owner, 1611 Broderick st., S. F. No agents.

$3350—NEW 2-story house, 7 rooms, on corner lot. Box 11773, Tribune.

FLATS FOR SALE.

CONTENTS of a new 3-room apartment for sale at a bargain, on account of owner leaving city; the most desirable place in Oakland; sun all day; no agents; references. 1055 Madison st., apt. 6, after 11 a. m.

FOR SALE—Two excellent new modern flats, with bath; 3 minutes' walk to 2 car lines; near Shattuck and Key Route; extra bargain. Apply to owner at once, 592 63d st.

TWO corner flats, 6 rooms and bath each; two lots cheap. Address 1353 Peralta st.

BUILDER AND CONTRACTOR.

AA—SPECIALTY made of plans and estimates. Newman Jensen, 519 34th st. Phone Piedmont 3168.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

WHEN some one, who wants the particular article of used furniture which you would like to sell, looks—your ad. should be "THERE."

AND we will be with you this week. Special new furniture at your own price. We polish and deliver without extra charge. H. Schellhaas, Oakland's popular furniture dealer, 11th and Franklin sts.

A-GOOD stylish buggy for sale at a bargain; only used a short time. Call at 1170 7th st., Adeline station.

ALMOST given away—Storage pianos dirt cheap. Whitehead's Storage, 405 San Pablo ave.

BABY chicks, a swell bunch; also 1 dozen Plymouth Rock pullets; 3 fine Cockerels; grand pen of Cornish Indians. Stansfield, 3301 E. 14th st., Fruitvale.

BIG SIX sox, 6 pair wears 6 months, $1. Litholin waterproof linen collars and cuffs, 25c. Tom Ronald 1234 Broadway, near 15th.

BEAUTIFULLY marked, extra small, toy fox terrier; two months old. 567 Telegraph.

BUFF Orpingtons; best winter layers; hatching eggs guaranteed. Hagedorn, 8318 Rhoda ave., Fruitvale.

BUTCHER fixtures complete, $300, can be seen Monday at 351 Alcatraz ave.

COAL stove, bed, wire mattress, table, kitchen utensils and sundries and swinging lamp. 2818 Telegraph ave., Berkeley.

CANARIES, fine singers, 3 left, $1.50 each. 217 9th st.

Do You Need It?

If you ever intend buying furniture now is the time; I have big credit against a furniture manufacturing agency; if you have anything to trade like a lot or hay in quantity, merchandise, new wagons, etc., let's get together; this furniture is new and you can have your choice. If you have cash it will do wonders on furnishing an apartment house. I can supply you with anywhere from $100 to $1000 worth. Address box 1000, Tribune.

ELECTRIC coffee mill, show cases, computing scales, counters, office safe, typewriter, National cash register at a bargain. Oakland Auction Co., 359-63 13th st., phone Oakland 4479, A4479.

EGGS for hatching, White Wyandotte; also stock. 3411 Hopkins st., Upper Fruitvale.

EGGS for hatching, White Leghorn, laying strain, $1 and $1.50. Address box 11,711, Tribune.

ENTIRE furniture of a 7-room house for sale, in lots to suit; bargains. 363 13th st., near Webster.

FOR SALE—A fine refrigerator suitable for butcher shop, restaurant or hotel; all complete and ready to deliver. Address The New "Improved" Refrigerator Factory, 1839 Myrtle st., near 28th st., Oakland, Cal. S. Di Vecchio, manager. Phone Home A-4010.

FOR SALE—Fine fresh young Jersey, 15 quarts daily with heifer calf, also 216 egg Petaluma Incubator. 1610 Alcatraz avenue, South Berkeley.

FLAT and roll-top office desk at factory prices. H. Schellhaas. Store entrance 11th and Franklin sts.

FOR SALE—One Victor talking machine, $75 model, with 30 records, for $50. Apply 463 26th st., or 295 Bacon building.

FOR SALE—Bullterrier pups prize winning stock; phone Piedmont 3649, after 5 p. m.

FOR SALE—Or exchange; a fine fuel range for a gas range. Phone Oakland 5710, or call 532 23d st.

FOR SALE—Fine Buff Leghorn chickens and eggs for setting; cheap. Phone Berkeley 3313.

FINE family cow, gentle and good milker. 1071 67th st., near San Pablo.

FINE Jersey cow and calf. 1658 14th ave., East Oakland.

FOR SALE—Haines Bros. upright piano; good order. Address box 10,321, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Fine fresh goat. 1026 E. 21st st., near 21st ave.

FOR SALE—Six young white Leghorn laying hens. 1424 13th ave., Oakland.

FOR SALE—A $23 gas range, slightly used, $12. 240 College ave., Oakland.

FURNITURE of 8-room house, cheap. 616 Telegraph.

HIGH-CLASS canaries, singers; also females for hatching. 855 Isabella.

LADIES, attention! I have a large variety of estab. fruit and ornamental trees, shrubs, palms, climbing vines, bush and standard roses, berries and eucalyptus trees; prices reasonable. Jos. Furtado, nursery head of Lake Shore ave., Piedmont, Cal. Phone Piedmont 921.

MATTING—Matting for your floors, suitable for parlor, reception, dining or bed rooms. We allude to the fine grade high-priced matting, regular 60c per yard. Our price during our furniture sale only 49c per yard. Why not favor us with a call? H. Schellhaas, entrance 11th and Franklin sts. Both phones, same number, 1525 Oakland.

MAMMOTH Pekin or Muscovy duck eggs; some young ducks. 1202 Haskell st., near San Pablo ave., Berkeley.

MAX LOEBEL, 3746 Piedmont ave., nursery, seeds, plants, canaries and gold fish.

MIMEOGRAPH, Edison rotary, with autographic attachment. Gibson-Norton Co., 959 Clay st.

NOTICE—Stop and think for a moment. Did it ever occur to you one-third of your life is spent in bed? Why not enjoy life? Get wholesome, clean, sweat bedding and mattresses at H. Schellhaas, the furniture dealer, entrance 11th and Franklin sts.

ONE dozen White Minorca hens; 1 male. H. K. Pirie, 3569 Jersey st., Upper Fruitvale.

ONE black Jersey cow; a good milker. For particulars address box 8498, Tribune, Berkeley.

OAKLAND POUND, 26th and Peralta sts. —Hunting and house dogs for sale.

PIGEONS—Closing out hen and runt crosses; best quality. 876 Broadway, room 4, Oakland.

PIGEONS, choice Boston homers, $4.50 a dozen. Apply Lyon ave.; take Leise ave. car.

REMINGTON No. 2 typewriter, good condition, $15. Gibson-Norton Co., 959 Clay st.

SECOND-HAND doors, all kinds of windows, skylights, window weights, store fronts, gas fixtures; pipe cheap; galvanized tin. Israel Bernstein, prop., 3905 E. 14th st., cor. 39th ave., Fruitvale.

SAFES—At manufacturer's prices; new and second-hand. Waltz Safe & Lock Co., 5th, Chestnut and Adeline sts., Oakland, and 238 California st., San Francisco.

THOROUGHBRED White Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching, $1.50, $2 a setting; bred for laying. 3019 Persimmon st., Fruitvale.

THOROUGHBRED Leghorn eggs, 13 for $1; bred for laying. E. F. Pegg, 444 51st st., Oakland.

WANTED—To exchange upright piano for furnished housekeeping rooms. Call 586 12th st., or phone Mr. Page, Oakland 6396.

WHOLESALE notions and hosiery. B. Lichtig, 561 11th; phone Oakland 4290.

50 DOZEN wash ties, 25c; 6 for $1. Tom Ronald, 1234 Broadway.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WHEN some one who wants to buy something you want to sell "looks over the ads." yours should be "THERE."

AA—UNCLE MORRIS BUYS good gent's cast-off clothing, etc. Send postal to 477 7th st., or phone A-3295.

A—HIGHEST price for good castoff men's clothes & shoes. 834 Wash.; Tel. O. 6793.

A—TOP price for gentlemen's discarded clothing. Rothe, 819 Bwy, Oak.; ph. 3896.

DON'T sell your household goods until you see J. Coleman, 412 11th st., where you will realize more for it. Phone Oakland 3268.

FURNITURE wanted—The Eastern Auction Hall is the market for second-hand furniture and general merchandise; highest cash prices paid, or will sell on commission. 1552 Broadway; phone Oakland 5244, Home A-1154. W. F. Howlett & Co., proprietors.

FURNITURE wanted—We will give you more for your furniture and household goods than you can get elsewhere. J. A. Munro & Co., 1007 Clay st., Oakland; telephone Oakland 4671. 2320 Fillmore st., San Francisco; telephone West 2623.

HIGHEST price paid for ladies' cast-off clothing. Mrs. Day, 530 8th st. Oakland 4500.

LADIES' good cast-off clothing; pay highest prices. Cohn, 916 5th; send postal.

CLASSIFIED ADS IN THE TRIBUNE PAY BIG RETURNS

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IF you must have the most money for your furniture, merchandise, etc., call up Oakland Auction Co., Meysel & Meysel, auctioneers; they will pay you the cash or sell on commission. 359-363 13th st., near Franklin. Phones Oakland 4479, Home A-4479.

WANTED—Chicken or milk ranch; shares; references; give phone number. 539 23d st. Phone Oakland 8108.

WANTED—Carpenter tools. C. A. Jaun, cor. High st. and Virginia ave., Fruitvale.

WILL pay cash for good secondhand upright piano; not over $100. Address Box 10405, Tribune.

WANTED—I. C. S. conversation records in English. Box 11,709, Tribune.

WANTED—To buy second-hand bicycle, coaster brake. Room 306, Bacon bldg.

WANTED—Second-hand cash register. Coffee house, 924 Franklin.

WANTED—Large warehouse in Oakland. Address box 10,376, Tribune.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

WHEN the man who wants to buy a "ready made business" gets to "looking," your ad. should be "THERE."

A— Open Sundays.
GLOBE REALTY CO.,
Oakland's Leading Brokers,
856 Broadway, corner 7th.
Phones Oakland 2813; Home A 2213.

PARTNER, $350, for one of the oldest established and best advertised business in Oakland; this is the best proposition we have ever offered; clears $150 monthly to each; experience not essential. Particulars Globe Realty Co.

CIGAR STAND, $500 puts you in charge of one of the best corner stands in Oakland; receipts $25 to $35 daily; 2 Mill machines, cash register, swell fixtures; cheap rent; 5 years' lease. See Globe Realty Co.

DELICACY, groceries, fruits, notions, candies, etc.; choice corner; clean stock, fine fixtures; repts. $15; 4 furnished rooms; barn, chicken house, yard; rent $20; bargain, $525. See Globe Co.

LUNCH counter, $100, old estab., nicely fitted; doing $40 daily; cheap rent; 3-year lease; fine place man and wife or two partners, trial given. See Globe Realty Co., 856 Broadway, cor. 7th.

GROCERY store, $1250; A-1 corner; nice fixtures; new stock; receipts $40 daily; good horse and wagon; 4 sunny living rooms, yard, barn; rent $30. See Globe Realty Co., 856 Broadway, corner 7th.

PARTNER, $200; take cash and assist well paying lunch counter and restaurant; money-maker. See Globe Co.

For Bargains and Quick Sales See
GLOBE REALTY CO.,
856 Broadway, Cor. 7th.

A MFG. and wholesale business, staple articles, large profits; established trade; a splendid opportunity; going at great sacrifice. 461 21st or Hobart st., Oakland.

BUTCHER shop for sale; good business; leaving town. San Leandro car, get off Seminary ave. Joe Koeser.

BARGAIN—Two good lunch counters; no agents; cheap. 659 22d st., Oakland.

CAPITAL FURNISHED.
Industrial, manufacturing, mining, oil, gas and railway stock and bond issues sold direct to investors; commission basis. Samuel Graham & Co., selling brokers, 43 Sacrament st., Montreal, Canada.

DELICATESSEN, steam table, canned goods, etc.; best corner in Oakland; positively must be sold this week, make us offer. J. Skirm, 921 Broadway.

FOR SALE—Must sell; come quick to get a bargain; nice little corner grocery, notions, school supplies, home baking; near large school; all cash trade; four living rooms; cheap rent. 1578 13th ave., phone A1240.

FOR SALE—Grocery and delicatessen store situated on one of best corners in Berkeley; must be sold at once; bargain. 1687 Shattuck ave., Berkeley.

FOR SALE—Tailor shop; good location; good paying business; must sell on account of disagreement of partners. Box 10354, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Living freak; money-getter. Write or call Mattley, 7th and McDonald, Richmond.

FOR SALE—One horse, harness, fruit and vegetable wagon, with established route. Tribune Box 11,728.

FOR SALE—Grocery store on corner, one block of new baseball park; investigate this. Inquire 5401 Grove st.

FOR SALE—Lunch counter; clears $350 a month. Address box 11761, Tribune.

GOOD grocery business for sale or rent; must sell on account of sickness. Box 5404, Tribune.

GOOD paying coal and wood business for sale, price $500 if sold at once. Box 10,347, Tribune.

I Want to Meet You

I will sell half interest in a good weekly newspaper in city of 5,000 in southern California to some active young newspaper men who can do either editorial or news work, or take outside work; fine field for two men, but one man cannot handle all to best advantage; right in the midst of the finest walnut, orange and lemon district in the world; city of fine schools, colleges, homes and business houses; think over this. Address Owner, 2432 Oregon st., Berkeley.

LADY or gent wanted to buy half interest for $5000 in well established business; not necessary to be active. Address Box 10493, Tribune.

MY grocery; best cash neighborhood; fine for hustlers; going East; supports family; bank money; sacrifice; rent $25. Address box 11775, Tribune.

OLD-ESTABLISHED CORNER GROCERY IN WEST OAKLAND; THREE FURNISHED ROOMS IN REAR; STOCK, FIXTURES AND FURNITURE INCLUDED; A BARGAIN; INVESTIGATE. BOX 11720, TRIBUNE.

RESTAURANT, bakery; too much for one woman; supports family; low rent; cash $1100; make offer. Box 11767, Tribune.

SPLENDIDLY equipped meat market, doing a good business, for sale or will take partner who is first-class butcher; terms reasonable. Inquire at 1449 High st., Fruitvale.

WANTED—Two young men with small capital to handle a new brand of goods used by every family; a good proposition to the right party. Call at 857 Franklin st., Oakland, Monday, between 11 and 3.

WANTED—A partner to open a branch office in the real estate business; must have automobile and a little money. Address box 11,728, Tribune.

WANT a good, hustling, honest partner in real estate business; capital not necessary. Address box 10425, Tribune.

WANTED—Partner with a few hundred dollars; legitimate proposition. Box 11774, Tribune.

WANTED—Party with small capital for A1 proposition by man of business ability. Address box 11760, Tribune.

$700 WILL buy rooming house of 12 rooms; furniture good; close in; rent $55, including water; you will have to see this in order to appreciate the income of a small investment, terms. A. U. Field & Co., Real Estate and Business Chances, 37 Telegraph ave.

$250—BAKERY, fixtures, 2 horses and wagon, cooking utensils; good will of a nice business; lease nearly 3 years to run; located 7th st., near Market; sacrifice made to satisfy creditors. Call room 10, 957 Broadway.

WHEN the owner of "idle money" looks, your business opportunity ad. should be "THERE."

INVESTMENTS.

WHEN the investor looks over the business opportunity ads., your ad. should be "THERE."

12% Net Investment

2 Modern new cottages close to Telegraph, inside of 40th st., for sale by owner. 700 39th st.

PRINTING AND BINDING.

BEST service, best workmen, best prices at TRIBUNE Job Printing Department, 8th and Franklin sts.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

$16—ROOMS, complete for housekeeping; phone, gas and coal stove. 216 11th st., 4 blocks east of Broadway; too small for children.

CLASSIFIED ADS IN THE TRIBUNE PAY BIG RETURNS.

$10—1-ROOM cottage for 2 men; complete for cooking. 210-B 11th st., 4 blocks east of Broadway.

$25—FIVE large room lower flat. 212 11th st., 4 blocks east of Broadway.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL NEWS

TRADING DULL ON BUSH ST. MARKET

Only Activity Shown in Combination Fraction, Which Advanced Several Points

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—The market for mining securities continued dull today, with but little interest shown in any of the groups.

The Eastern wires worked badly and but few orders were received from the Nevada speculators. Combination Fraction was the most active security and advanced from 96 to sales at 97. Consolidated continued weak and dropped from $7.75 to $7.67½. Daisy advanced to 57 and Booth to 19.

Ophir Rises

Among the Comstocks Ophir was freely traded in and advanced from $1.02½ to $1.07½. Mexican sold at 58 and Consolidated Virginia at 33. The other stocks were quiet and unchanged.

The Tonopahs were quiet but steady. Jim Butler sold at 1., Belmont at 82 and MacNamara at 33. The improvement of conditions in Tonopah, where the Tonopah & Nevada Company has decided to sink to the 1500 level, inspired by the success of the Belmont Company, which is now operating between the 1000 and 1100 levels, has given new impetus to the mining game in that camp, which is the cradle of the new Nevada. New discoveries in the Monte Cristo mountains, west of Tonopah, where the new camp of Arraphoe has sprung up, have also added to the return of confidence at Tonopah. Shipments approximating $100,000 have already been made from the new camp to the sampler at Millers, the Morning Glory group, the Carrie and the Spider and Fly groups leading in the shipments.

Sink Shafts Deeply

The Oregon Mining Company is now sinking a double compartment shaft on its group. The Morning Glory is down 150 feet, where crosscuts will be driven to open the ledge from which the shipments were made. The Carrie has passed the 100-foot mark and the shaft on the Spider and Fly is down 50 feet.

United States Deputy Engineer O. K. Westcott has surveyed the townsite of the new camp.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK AND EXCHANGE BOARD
ZADIG & CO., STOCKBROKERS

Regular Morning Session, March 6.

ASSESSED.

Mexican	10		Union		01

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Belcher	28	30	Mexican	58	59
Best & Belcher	33	35	Ophir	1.02	1.05
Confidence	45	40	Overland	25	..
Con Virginia	32	33	Yellow Jacket	34	36
Crown Point	32	35			

SALES

200 Belcher	28	1400 Ophir	1.02
200 Mexican	58	300 Yellow Jacket	35

Tonopah and Goldfield
ZADIG & CO., STOCK BROKERS.

Regular Morning Session, March 6.

TONOPAH.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Montana	70	..	North Star	..	03
MacNamara	33	..	West End	30	..
Midway	20	..	Rescue Consol.	08	..
Belmont	82	..	Jim Butler	..	17

GOLDFIELD.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Sandstorm	..	12	Florence	3.45	..
Columbia Mt.	11	..	Diam B B Cn	06	07
Jumbo Ex	..	12	Daisy	55	..
Kendall	..	10	Con bn Fractn.	81	82
Booth	19	..	Gt Bend Ex	01	..
Blue Bull	00	..	Gt Bend An	..	03
Adams	01	02	Goldfld Kwnas	15	..
Silver Pick	07	..	Goldfld Ptld	02	03
Blue Bell	03	..	Crackerjack	03	04
Hibernia	01	..	Frnes-Mohawk	1	..
Conqueror	03	..	Red Hills	06	..
Lone Star	04	..	Yellow Tiger	16	..
Wonder	01	02	Grandma	03	..
Oro	07	08	Florence Ex	04	05
Nev. Goldfield	02	..	Diamd Trian.	02	03
Atlanta	10	12	Goldfld Con.	7.72	..
Great Bend	17	18	Jack pot	..	06
Red Top Ex.	04	05			

BULLFROG.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Bullfrog Ex	..	01	Montgmry Ex	..	10
Bullfg Ntl Bk	03	..	Homestake Kg.	04	05
Amethyst	03	..	Tramp Cons.	..	10
Bonnie Clare	..	04	Valley View	06	..
Mayflwr Cons.	12	14			

RAWHIDE.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Orig Rawhide	02	03	Balloon Hill	02	..
Rawhde Queen	30	..	Coalition	46	..

MANHATTAN.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Manhattan Con	04	..	Pine Nut	..	02
Mustang Manh	02	..			

OTHER DISTRICTS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Round Mt	80	..	Eagles Nest	..	00
Pittsburg S Pk	70	..	Eyr O Boulder	01	03

LOTS FOR SALE.

ADAMS Point snap; north side Warwick ave., $50 front foot, adjoining lots $60; $750 cash. Phone Piedmont 1733.

ADAMS POINT lot, 100x130, or 50x130; high ground. Apply 315 Sycamore st., near Telegraph.

BUY direct from owner, fine lots at $10 per foot; easy terms and good location, no commissions. J. P. Gardner, 461 10th st., Oakland.

FINEST corner lot in Piedmont (Linda Vista), 57x106, $40 per front foot; owner needs money. Box 10,324, Tribune.

LOTS—Santa Fe District, near 65th st. Key Route station. Phone Berk. 3267.

ONLY $650; cash or terms; 2 lots in triangle, 100 feet frontage, 115 deepest part; on Bay ave., 2 blocks from Boulevard and Fremont high school, Melrose; high ground. Darby, 122 11th st. Phone Oakland 8015.

Santa Fe Lots $30 Per Foot

We have 25 lots placed with us for sale, between Grove and Linden, on good cross streets, at the above price; terms about ¼ cash, balance $10 per month.

M. T. Minney Company
1259 BROADWAY.

SEVERAL nice lots near the San Leandro road for $225 each; $5 per month; must be sold. Geo. W. Austin, 1018 Broadway.

TWO large improved lots on 64th st., $750 each. Owner, 813 12th st.

WILL sacrifice one of the best lots in Adams Point block car line; high ground. Box 11,763, Tribune.

WILL sell cheap, fine level lot, in Adams Point; high ground; one block from car line. Box 11,744, Tribune.

$400 ONLY for a lot 40x125; $50 down, $7.50 per month; no taxes or interest for two years; fine street, city water, cement walk, all complete; you get immediate possession and perfect title; handy to street cars and railroads; this property will increase 50 per cent in 2 years, this means that your money invested here will earn you 35 times as much as it will in the bank and be absolutely safe. Come out Sunday and take a look at it. Take any Elmhurst or Hayward car and get off on the Dowling tract. Dowling Brothers, owners, branch office 1313 Broadway, opposite postoffice.

$8 A FRONT foot, 3 lots, 25x110; West Berkeley; lot opposite sold for $400; owner non-resident; must be sold.

$700—3-room cottage on San Pablo ave. $300 down, $30 a month payments; swell 6-room cottage; near 13th ave., East Oakland; total price $2750, select neighborhood.

PACIFIC LAND CO.,
110 Bacon Block Oakland.

$1850—SNAP; lot 53x240 close in; Sunnyside and Oakland aves.; elevated, beautiful view; Fairview tract, adjoining Piedmont Heights; on car line, must be sold at once. A. D. Prentice, 2935 26th st., San Francisco.

50x125—BEST section Fairview Park, Berkeley, $1800. Box 1080-A, Tribune.

CLASSIFIED ADS IN THE TRIBUNE PAY BIG RETURNS FOR MONEY INVESTED.

SPRING BUSINESS APPEARS HEALTHY

Great Improvement Is Noticeable in All Lines of Sound Investment

At a recent meeting held at the offices of the Financial Underwriters, the following report was read:

The spring season, beginning March 1, promises heavy colonist travel, according to reports received by the California promotion committee from its Eastern bureau and other affiliations throughout the United States and Europe. Special inquiry points to many colonists coming to locate on small farms.

Business Looks Bright

Business conditions, especially in California, show great improvement, as is evidenced by the great demand from Eastern and foreign investors for State, municipal and industrial bonds and other California securities. Arrangements are under way at the present time to make it possible for holders of tickets from Eastern and Middle Western points to the Alaska-Yukon Exposition to come and return by way of California, thus bringing many people to the State who otherwise would take direct routes.

The summary of California conditions from January 29 to February 28, inclusive, shows the following bank clearances and building permits.

City—	Bank Clearings.	Building Permits.
San Francisco	$130,678,893.51	$2,296,100
Los Angeles	56,641,292.82	684,170
Oakland	6,699,209.38	373,149

Loaning Capital Needed

These figures will show the great need for additional loaning capital in Alameda county, particularly Oakland, therefore the Bank of Ireland, at present being organized by the Financial Underwriters, will prove of remarkable benefit to the community in so far that it will bring a large amount of additional loaning capital to our city.

The rapid demand with which the selling of the stock is being met is also evidence of the advantages afforded in having a bank of this character added to our rapidly growing city.

The regular meetings which are being held Thursday nights of each week at the offices of the Financial Underwriters are proving of great interest to those interested in Oakland's progress and financial affairs.

FORTY-SEVEN VESSELS BUILT IN A MONTH

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Forty-seven sail and steam vessels of 6334 gross tons were built in the United States and officially numbered during the month of February. The distribution of these vessels in the various waters where they will be put in service is as follows: Atlantic and Gulf, 2; Pacific, 11; Great Lakes, 1, and Western rivers, 10. Six of the vessels are of steel construction, while the others are built of wood.

BRITISH TRADE SHOWS A HEAVY FALLING OFF

LONDON, March 6.—The February statement of the Board of Trade shows decreases of $9,745,977 in imports and $13,625,000 in exports. In imports the decrease was in grain and flour and in exports in manufactured goods, including cotton fabrics, $10,000,000.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Edwin Goodall, deceased. Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Edwin Goodall, deceased, and for the issuance to Arthur Goodall and Helen S. Goodall of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 19th day of March, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated March 5, 1909.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By W. M. MANNING, Deputy Clerk.
EDWIN T. COOPER, 801-5 Crocker building, San Francisco, Cal., attorney for petitioners.

NOTICE.

The stockholders of the Western Heavy Hardware and Iron Company are hereby notified that the annual stockholders' meeting will be held March 17, 1909, at 8 p. m. in their offices at 422-426 Ninth street, Oakland, Cal.

C. A. NESBITT, Secretary.
Oakland, Cal., March 2, 1909.

WALL STREET BULLISH WHEN MARKET CLOSES

Special Issues Active; Prices Changeable

(BY THOMAS C. SHOTWELL.)

WALL STREET, NEW YORK, March 6. Specialties were active in Wall street today, furnishing a very erratic market. Kansas City Southern opened with an advance of half a point, immediately lost nearly two points, then recovered most of the loss and turned heavy. Missouri, Kansas and Texas opened quietly and then advanced two points. Railway Steel Spring opened ¼c higher than yesterday's close and broke 3 points on the announcement that the dividend would be passed. American Ice was advanced 2 points as part of the program for the sale of the new bond issue of $3,000,000.

In connection with the Southern Railway rise it is reported that Edwin Hawley's assistants have formed a pool in the hope of getting control of the property and turning it over to the Southern Pacific. The Harriman railroad already has a long-time traffic agreement, securing full benefit of the road to gulf ports. The directors of the Southern Railway say there is no necessity for the purchase, but it is a fact that friends of Hawley are actually buying the stock. Some of the bankers who are interested in the Wisconsin Central deal seem to be informed in regard to the Kansas City Southern. It is possible that Hawley's friends, having made a deal of money in recent deals are on a fishing excursion in Wall street, for they are also buying Missouri, Kansas and Texas stock, besides working in Chesapeake and Ohio and Wisconsin Central.

Trading was dull throughout the session and London was stagnant.

The "street" was confidently bullish when the market closed, although it could assign no specific reason for the sentiment. Prevailing sentiment among the commission houses was that recent severe liquidation has placed the market in a much stronger technical situation, and that accumulations have been mainly by stronger financial and investment issues rather than by speculative cliques.

In the Street

The total number of shares of stock sold today was 262,439, against 451,633 a year ago. The par value of bonds sold today was $1,419,000, against $1,879,000 last year.

Stockholders of the Pennsylvania will hold the annual meeting at Philadelphia on Tuesday. It is possible that there will be a warm debate before the $80,000,000 of bonds to be issued will be authorized.

United States railroads reporting for the three weeks of February show total gross earnings of $20,058,832, a gain of 18 per cent over last year and a loss of 4.3 per cent compared with a like period in 1907. Roads in the South and Southwest continue to make the best showing.

J. C. Wilson's Quotations

Regular Morning Session, March 6

	High.	Low.	Close.
Amalgamated Copper	69	68¼	68½
American Car Foundry	49⅞	49¼	49½
American Can preferred	74⅝	74⅝	74⅝
American Cotton Oil	53	52¾	53
American Ice	30½	28⅜	28½
American Locomotive	52	51⅛	51⅝
American S & R Co	83¼	82¼	82¼
Do preferred	103⅞	103⅞	103⅞
Anaconda Copper	41⅛	40⅞	40⅞
Atchison	104⅛	103⅛	103½
Do preferred	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
Baltimore and Ohio	107⅜	107¼	107¼
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	72⅜	71⅞	71⅞
Canadian Pacific	167⅜	167¼	167¼
Central Leather	28	27⅞	27⅞
Chesapeake and Ohio	66	65½	65½
Chicago Great Western	7	6⅞	6⅞
Chicago, Mil and St. Paul	142⅞	142	142
Chicago and Northwestern	176	176	176
Colorado Fuel and Iron	33	32¾	32¾
Colorado Southern	63½	63½	63½
Do 1st preferred	82½	82½	82½
Do 2nd preferred	79⅝	79⅝	79⅝
Consolidated Gas	128¼	127½	127½
Corn Products	18⅛	18	18⅛
Denver and Rio Grande	45	43⅞	44⅞
Do preferred	86	86	86
Distillers	35⅞	35⅞	35⅞
Erie	25⅞	25¼	25¼
Do 1st preferred	40	40	40
Great Northern preferred	141	139⅞	140¼
Great Northern Ore	68¼	68⅛	68¼
Illinois Central	141	141	141
Interborough Metropolitan	15¼	15	15
Do preferred	42⅞	42⅛	42⅛
Iowa Central	29½	28¼	29¼
Kansas City Southern	47⅞	46⅛	47⅞
Louisville and Nashville	128⅛	128⅛	128⅛
Mexican Central	21⅛	20⅝	21
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	41⅛	39⅝	40⅞
Do preferred	78⅜	78⅜	78⅜
Missouri Pacific	68½	67⅞	67⅞
National Lead	75⅞	75⅛	75⅛
New York Central	128⅝	128⅛	128⅛
New York, Ontario and W	45⅞	45	45⅞
Norfolk and Western	87⅞	86⅜	87⅞
North American	80⅜	80⅜	80⅜
Northern Pacific	136⅞	136⅛	136⅜
Pacific Mail	30½	29½	29½
Pennsylvania Railway	129⅛	129	129⅛
Pressed Steel Car	30½	30½	30½
Reading	124⅝	123⅞	123⅞
Republic Steel and Iron	19⅛	18⅞	19⅛
Do preferred	72	71⅛	72
Rock Island Co	23¼	22⅞	22⅞
Do preferred	63⅛	61⅞	62
St. Louis and S F 2d preferred	30⅞	30⅞	30½
St. Louis and Southwestern pfd	50	49⅛	49⅛
Sloss-Sheffield	72½	71⅛	72¼
Southern Pacific	117⅞	117½	117⅛
Do preferred	122	122	122
Southern Railway	24½	24⅛	24⅜
Do preferred	62½	62⅛	62½
Tennessee Copper	38	37⅞	38
Third Avenue	39	39	39
Texas Pacific	32½	31⅞	32
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	47½	45⅞	47½
Union Pacific	176⅛	175⅜	174⅝
Do preferred	95⅛	95⅛	95¼
United States Steel	45⅛	44⅜	45
Do preferred	111⅛	111	111¼
Utah Copper	40⅞	40⅛	40⅜
Virginia Car Chemical	42⅞	42⅞	42⅞
Wabash, preferred	44⅛	43⅞	44
Westinghouse Electric	78	78	78
Wisconsin Central	51	49⅞	49⅞
Do preferred	87⅞	87⅞	87⅞

NOTICE OF SALE.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the matter of the estate of Carl Gottlieb Schumacher, deceased. Notice of sale.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, made on the 18th day of December, 1908, in the matter of the estate of Carl Gottlieb Schumacher, deceased, the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of said decedent, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, gold coin of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on Tuesday, the 16th day of March, 1909, at 12 o'clock M. at the auction salesrooms of J. A. Munro & Co., No. 2317 Santa Clara avenue, Alameda, Alameda County, California, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Carl Gottlieb Schumacher at the time of his death, and all the right, title and interest that the estate has by operation of law, or otherwise, acquired other than or in addition to that of the said Carl Gottlieb Schumacher, at the time of his death, in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the City of Alameda, County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to wit:

Bounded by a line beginning at the point of intersection of the northern line of Railroad avenue with the eastern line of Grand street (as said street and avenue are delineated on the map hereinafter referred to, said Railroad avenue being sixty (60) feet in width); running thence easterly along said northern line of Railroad avenue, sixty (60) feet; thence at right angles northerly eighty-two (82) feet six (6) inches; thence at right angles easterly twenty-eight (28) feet; thence at right angles northerly thirty (30) feet; thence at right angles westerly eighty-eight (88) feet to said eastern line of Grand street and thence southerly along said eastern line of Grand street one hundred and twelve (112) feet six (6) inches to the point of commencement.

Being a portion of Block Number thirty-seven (37) of the Town of Encinal, Alameda, as the same is delineated on a certain map entitled, "Map of the Town of Encinal and the land adjacent, surveyed by Horace A. Higley, county surveyor, assisted by J. T. Stratton," filed August 7, 1854, in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda County.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash, gold coin of the United States, ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid to the said auctioneer on the day of sale, balance on confirmation of sale by the said Superior Court.

Dated February 20, 1909.

GEO. GRAY,
Administrator of the estate of Carl Gottlieb Schumacher, deceased.
GEO. W. REED and JOHN S. DE LANCEY, attorneys for said administrator, rooms 1101-2 Union Savings Bank building, Oakland, Cal.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of H. M. Brownell, deceased. Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of H. M. Brownell, deceased, and for the issuance to Charles H. Stanton and Mary C. B. Varney of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 8th day of March, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the Court Room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated February 23, 1909.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By W. W. CRANE, Deputy Clerk.
ARCHIBALD J. TREAT, attorney for petitioner, Monadnock building, San Francisco, Cal.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Patrick J. Land, deceased. Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Patrick J. Land, deceased, and for the issuance to G. H. Umbsen and G. M. Pe... of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 19th day of March, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the court room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated March 4, 1909.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By W. M. MANNING, Deputy Clerk.
BISHOP & HOEFLER, rooms 363-369, Russ building, NW. corner Bush and Montgomery streets, San Francisco, Cal.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Jay E. Russell, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Jay E. Russell, deceased, and for the issuance to Emily G. Palmer of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court, and that Friday, the 19th day of March, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By W. M. MANNING, Deputy Clerk.
GIBSON & WOOLNER, Attorneys, Room No. 61, First National Bank Building, Oakland, Cal.
Dated, March 4th, 1909.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Manuel J. Fialho, deceased. Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Manuel J. Fialho, deceased, and for the issuance to M. I. Silveira of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 8th day of March, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated February 23, 1909.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By W. W. CRANE, Deputy Clerk.
PETER J. CROSBY, attorney for petitioner, 1003½ Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of William Phillips, deceased. Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of William Phillips, deceased, and for the issuance to Mary A. McManus of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 8th day of March, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated February 24, 1909.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By W. W. CRANE, Deputy Clerk.
JOHN J. McDONALD, Oakland Bank of Savings Building, Oakland, Cal., attorney for petitioner.

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DEPARTURES AND ARRIVALS OAKLAND

Trains are due to arrive and leave —AT— SIXTEENTH STREET STATION, ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1909

Leave— —Arrive

7:00a—Stockton, San Pablo, Martinez, Bay Point, etc. ... 6:33p
7:34a—Richmond, San Pablo, Pinole, Crockett, Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Sacramento, Roseville, Wheatland, Marysville, Chico, Red Bluff, Anderson, Redding, Dunsmuir, Davis, Woodland (Marysville, Oroville), Arbuckle, Williams, Maxwell, Willows, Orland (Hamilton), Corning, Tehama — Elmira, Vacaville, Winters, Guinda, Rumsey ... 6:58p
8:13a—Vallejo, Santa Rosa, Napa, St. Helena, Calistoga, Martinez, Concord, San Ramon, Pleasanton—Return from Livermore ... 8:54a
8:56a—Port Costa, Martinez, Antioch, Byron, Tracy (Stockton), Modesto, Merced, Fresno, Selma, Goshen Junction, Hanford, Visalia, Lindsay, Porterville, Bakersfield; Yosemite Valley via Merced and El Portal ... 4:08p
9:30a—Atlantic Express—Port Costa, Benicia, Elmira, Davis, Sacramento, Colfax, Truckee, Reno, Winnemucca, Battle Mountain, Cobre, Ogden, Salt Lake City ... 6:48p
10:30a—Overland Limited—Ogden, Cheyenne (Denver), Omaha, Cedar Rapids, Chicago, Salt Lake City, Denver, Kansas City, Des Moines, Chicago. No local passengers carried between San Francisco and Sparks ... 7:00p
10:55a—Los Angeles Passenger—Richmond, Port Costa, Byron, Tracy (Stockton), Merced, Berenda (Raymond), Fresno, Tulare, Bakersfield, Los Angeles—Hanford, Lemoore—Visalia ... 7:07p
Vallejo, Mare Island—Napa Junction, Napa ... 10:53a
11:17a—Richmond, Port Costa, Suisun, Sacramento, Roseville, Auburn, Colfax, Truckee, Boca, Reno, Sparks, Churchill, Mina, Tonopah, Goldfield—Laws, Keeler ... 7:11p
12:17a—Marysville, Gridley, Chico, Vina, Tehama, Red Bluff. Arrive First street ...
2:43p—Richmond, Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Elmira, Dixon, Sacramento ... 12:27p
2:53p—Portland Express — Davis, Woodland, Williams, Colusa Junction, Willows, Corning, Redding, Dunsmuir, Shasta Springs, Sisson, Weed, Medford, Albany, Ashland, Portland ...
3:31p—Richmond, Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Elmira, Vacaville, Winters, Sacramento, Davis, Woodland, Yuba City, Knights Landing, Marysville, Palermo, Oroville ... 11:58a
3:53p—Fresno Passenger—Port Costa, Martinez, Cornwall, Antioch, Byron, Lathrop, Modesto, Turlock, Merced, Berenda, Madera, Fresno ... 10:03a
4:34p—Vallejo, Santa Rosa, Napa, St. Helena, Calistoga, Martinez, San Ramon and Livermore—Return from Pleasanton ... 11:34a
5:34p—Owl Limited—Port Costa, Newman, Los Banos, Kerman, Fresno, Tulare, Bakersfield, Los Angeles ... 8:33a
6:13p—El Dorado—Pinole (Vallejo, Mare Island), Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Sacramento ... 8:10a
6:55p—Eastern Express—Port Costa, Suisun, Elmira, Sacramento, Colfax, Truckee, Boca, Reno (Wadsworth), Hazen (Fallon), Battle Mountain, Palisade, Elko, Cobre, Ogden, Salt Lake City, Pueblo, Denver, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago ... 10:34a
7:35p—Sunday only—Stege, Richmond, Pinole, Vallejo, Crockett, Port Costa, Martinez, Bay Point ... **10:37a
8:57p—Oregon Express—Port Costa, Benicia, Sacramento, Marysville, Gridley, Chico, Tehama, Red Bluff, Shasta Springs, Weed (MacDoel, Calor, Klamath Falls), Portland ... 9:08a
8:57p—China and Japan Fast Mail—Port Costa, Benicia, Sacramento, Truckee, Reno, Cobre, Ogden, Cheyenne, Denver, Kansas City, Omaha, Chicago ... 2:47a

FIRST STREET, NEAR BROADWAY.

7:17a—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, Irvington, Milpitas, San Jose ... 6:38a
Connects at San Jose with No. 22, the Coaster—San Jose, Salinas, Soledad, Paso Robles Hot Springs, Atascadero, Santa Margarita, San Luis Obispo, Pismo, Oceano, Guadalupe, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Oxnard, Los Angeles — Lompoc, Pajaro, Watsonville, Santa Cruz, Boulder Creek, Glenwood, Castroville—Del Monte, Monterey Pacific Grove ... 8:50a 2:02p
8:16a—Niles, Pleasanton, Livermore, Altamont, Carbona, Midway, Lathrop, Stockton, Tracy, Newman, Los Banos, Kerman, Fresno, Hanford, Visalia, Porterville, Bakersfield ... 6:54p
8:38a—Russell, Alvarado, Newark, Alviso, Agnew, Santa Clara, San Jose, Los Gatos, Wright, Laurel ... 8:04p
Connects at Santa Clara with No. 24, San Luis Obispo Passenger—Gilroy, Salinas, Paso Robles Hot Springs, Atascadero, San Luis Obispo, Hollister, Tres Pinos—Watsonville, Santa Cruz, Del Monte, Monterey, Pacific Grove ... 6:10p
9:30a—Niles, Pleasanton, Livermore, Stockton, Lodi, Galt, Sacramento, Red Bluff, Oakdale, Chinese, Jamestown, Sonora, Tuolumne, Angels ... 8:53p
1:57p—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Niles, Irvington, Warm Springs, San Jose ... 7:08a
2:18p—Russell, Mt. Eden, Alvarado, Newark, Alviso, Agnew, Santa Clara, San Jose ... 9:14a
Connects at San Jose with No. 28, Del Monte Express—Gilroy, Chittenden, Pajaro, Watsonville, Santa Cruz, Castroville, Del Monte, Monterey, Pacific Grove, Salinas ... 2:02p
3:35p—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, Irvington, San Jose ... 8:30a
Connects at San Jose with No. 30, Tres Pinos Passenger—Coyote, Morganhill, Gilroy, Hollister, Tres Pinos ...
No. 10, Sunset Express—El Paso, San Antonio, New Orleans, Washington, D. C., New York; California Special Sleeper for Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago
No. 10—Salinas, Paso Robles Hot Springs, Atascadero, San Luis Obispo, Guadalupe, Surf, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Oxnard, Los Angeles—Watsonville, Aptos, Capitola, Santa Cruz—Del Monte, Monterey, Pacific Grove ... 2:02p
4:35p—Niles, Pleasanton, Livermore, Midway, Tracy, Lathrop, Stockton, Lodi. Arrive via Martinez at Sixteenth-st. depot ... 9:56a
5:16p—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, Sunol, Pleasanton, Livermore ... *7:50a **11:08a
5:37p—Russell, Mt. Eden, Newark, Centerville, Santa Clara, San Jose. Connects at Santa Clara with No. 52, Wright Passenger—Dougherty, Campbell, Los Gatos, Alma, Eva, Wright ... 8:08a
5:58p—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, Irvington, Milpitas, San Jose ... 2:02p
7:15p—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, San Jose ... 6:10a
Connects at San Jose with No. 18, Los Angeles Express—Gilroy, Salinas, King City, Paso Robles Hot Springs, Atascadero, San Luis Obispo, Pismo, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles ... 8:08a

SOUTHERN PACIFIC STEAMER SERVICE. (Oakland Harbor Ferry, Broadway Wharf.)
6:00a, *7:00a, **7:30a, *8:00a, 9:00a, *10:00a, **10:30a, *11:00a, 12:00m, *1:00p, **1:30p, *2:00p, 3:00p, *4:00p, **4:30p, *5:00p, 6:00p, *7:00p, **7:30p, *8:00p, 9:00p, **10:30p.
*1:00p—Collinsville, Rio Vista, Isleton, Walnut Grove, Vorden, Courtland, Sacramento, from San Francisco, south end, Ferry Building ... *11:30p
*Sundays excepted. **Sunday only. ...day only.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC., AND APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION WITH WILL ANNEXED.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John Calvin Wagner, also known as John C. and J. C. Wagner, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc., and application for letters of administration with will annexed.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of John Calvin Wagner, also known as John C. and J. C. Wagner, deceased; and for the issuance to Mary Margaret Wagner of letters of administration with the will annexed has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 8th day of March, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted.

Dated February 18, 1909.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By A. E. JOHNSTONE, Deputy Clerk.
EZRA W. DECOTO, Bacon Building, Oakland, Cal., attorney for petitioner.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

DEATHS.

BOUSER—At the Alameda County Infirmary, March 5, 1909, Samuel Bouser, a native of New Jersey, aged 100 years, 9 months and 25 days.

HENKENIUS—In Oakland, Cal., March 5, 1909, Julius Charles Henkenius, beloved husband of Ella C. Henkenius, and father of Frederick J. Henkenius, Mrs. J. C. Cullom and Kuhlmann Henkenius, a native of Germany, aged 53 years and 8 months.

JONES—In Oakland, Cal., March 5, 1909, Thomas Francis Jones, beloved son of Thomas and Margaret Jones, a native of Oakland, aged 2 months and 27 days.

KIRCHEIMER—In Monterey, Cal., March 3, 1909, J. H. Kircheimer, a native of Germany, aged 65 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services Monday, March 8, at 2 o'clock p. m., from the funeral parlors of McManus & Freeman, Seventh and Castro streets. Interment, Mountain View Cemetery.

McCABE—In Oakland, March 5, 1909, Edward, beloved husband of Annie McCabe and father of James E. McCabe and Mrs. D. J. Cornell, a native of County Dublin, Ireland, aged 83 years.

**Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral tomorrow (Monday), March 8th, at 8:30 a. m., from his late residence, 1364 Seventh avenue, East Oakland; thence to St. Anthony's Church, where a requiem High Mass will be celebrated for the repose of his soul, commencing at 9 a. m. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

McCORMICK—In Oakland, Cal., March 5, 1909, John E., beloved son of the late Patrick McCormick, and brother of Francis J. McCormick, a native of Illinois, aged 32 years and 23 days.

ROONEY—In San Francisco, March 5, at his late residence, 1244 Sanchez street, Owen F., beloved husband of Nellie Rooney, and beloved father of Robert, William and Eileen Rooney, a native of County Monaghan, Ireland.

Brothers of the St. Patrick's Alliance of Oakland, please attend funeral at the above residence, 9 o'clock a. m. Monday, March 8.

WRIGHT—In San Leandro, Cal., March 4, 1909, John W., beloved husband of Eva L. Wright, and father of J. Walter and Kate Wright and Mrs. Lena Hollis and Mrs. May Brown, a native of Missouri, aged 49 years, 5 months and 10 days. (Des Moines, Iowa, papers please copy.)

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend funeral services Monday, March 8, 1909, at 2 o'clock p. m., from the funeral parlors of Arthur A. Barber & Co., 3121 East Fourteenth street, Fruitvale. Interment, Evergreen Cemetery.

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